

THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

SOLDIER'S CERTIFICATE

No. 374 825

VETERAN

James Bradley

RANK

Capt.

SERVICE

Co. F. 210 Pa. Vol. Inf.

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War Department,

GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C. Nov 12, 1878.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt from your Office of application for Pension No. 257908, and to return it herewith, with such information as is furnished by the files of this Office.

It appears from the Rolls on file in this Office that James Bradley was enrolled on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 1864, at Barren Pa in Co. D, 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Penn<sup>a</sup> Volunteers, to serve One years or during the war, and mustered into service as a Private on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Sept, 1864, at Camp Curtin, in Co. D, 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Penn<sup>a</sup> Volunteers, to serve One years, or during the war. On the Muster Roll of Co. D, of that Regiment, for the months of from Sept 30, 1863, he is reported Present.

Company May 30, 1865, near Alexandria Va.

The records of this office do not furnish any evidence of Piles, Heart or Lung disease as claimed.

I am, sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

W. B. Ruggins  
Assistant Adjutant General.

The Commissioner of Pensions,  
Washington, D. C.



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Cert. No.

Name,

Rank,

; Service,

Original Roll:

Agency.

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No. 257.908

Acts of July 14, 1862, and March 3, 1873.

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Apr 27/86. A.G. J. F. P.  
" " " of C.A. M.  
" " " office letter  
" " " P.M. Cred. of C.A. M.

James Bradley  
P. O. Oswayo

Potter Co., Penn.

Service: Pri Co "F" 216<sup>th</sup>

Penn. Vol.

Enlisted: Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>, 1864

Discharged: May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1865

Application filed: July 1<sup>st</sup>, 1878

Alleges: Rheumatism

heart & lung disease

Re-enlisted:

BOARD OF REVIEW  
AUG 24 1887

Attorney: Samuel Beebe

P. O. Oswayo

Pa

Recognized.

Contract

April 22/86. office letters to  
Crouch, Dexter, D. J. M. as  
to continuance and Surgeon  
McCauley and Park as  
to condition in service.

April 22/86. P.M. Credibility  
of Crouch and Dexter. J.F.P.

April 22/86. Ordered to Board  
Examining Surgeon at Wellsburg  
Present atty Beebe. J.F.P.

July 3/86. A.G. R.G. to A.G. pr  
OHIO. Medical treatment J.F.P.

Sept 8/86. Cred of Pinner.  
at Oswayo, Pa. J.F.P.

Feby. 19, '87.

Make atty; for  
more letters in  
Mich. at disch. The latter  
to cover fees  
(J.F.P.) P.M. char. D. Munson  
Letter to D. Munson

May 13, 87: Presence Rob-  
bins, later to Sibble, Robbins.  
Additional. Quick. Original.  
Robbins not give disease.  
Cont. from file. Ap. disch.  
Cred. Robbins, Sibble. July 11, 87.  
Presence Nichols, Comm. Court.  
Nichols will





INVALID. (Series.....)

Cert. No. **374825**Name, *James Bradley*  
Rank, *Priv.*; Service, *Co. F. 10<sup>th</sup> Penn. Vol. Inf.*Original Roll: *Pittsburgh*

Agency. Transf'd ....., 18 ....., to .....

" ....., 18 ....., to .....

Issued *Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>*, 1887Mailed *Oct 7<sup>th</sup>*, 1887Rate and Period, \$ *2*, from *May 31<sup>st</sup>*, 1886" \$ *6.* "*Apr. 4<sup>th</sup>*" 1887" \$ *8.* "*May 12<sup>th</sup>*" 1886

Deductions:

Disability: *Piles rheumatism & disease of chest.*Issued *June 18<sup>th</sup>*, 1887Mailed *" 24<sup>th</sup>*, 1887Rate and Period, \$ *2* -, from *Apr 24<sup>th</sup>*, 1887

Deductions:

Disability: *Piles rheumatism & disease of chest.*

Issued ....., 18

Mailed ....., 18

Rate and Period, \$ ....., from ....., 18

Deductions:

Disability:

Issued ....., 18

Mailed ....., 18

Rate and Period, \$ ....., from ....., 18

Deductions:

Disability:

## INDORSEMENTS.

*Feb 25/91 Paid up to Clm. Atty*  
*Feb 18/92 Paid by .....*



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No. 257908

Acts of July 14, 1862, and March 3, 1873.

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James Bradley

P. O.

Service

Enlisted: Sept 5, 1864

Discharged: May 15, 1865

Application filed: July 1, 1878

Allèges: Rheumatism - Blind & Bleeding Piles -  
Heart and Lung diseases. Apr 65 Early Rupture

Re-enlisted:     

Attorney: Samuel Beebe

P. O.

Orter Co. Penn.

Recognized.

Contract.

Cert. of Dis. Searched for July 1878



Nov 20. 78 Sh.  
A. h.

Somerset Treatment  
Off Aff Surgeon  
W<sup>th</sup> Dr. O. Y. Ellison  
Connersport Penn

April 8, 1879.

abs. to <sup>the</sup> ~~Army~~ Capt Kienney  
abs. " " ~~of~~ Dr Crocker

Oct. 14-82

Letter to Alanson Kinsley  
for the nature of Christi-  
anity while in the service.

Clint. ord. before a Brown  
for ex. rat Smithport -

P.M. for standing of  
Munson & Turner  
for standing of K  
& Rowles.

Dec-24-82

Letter to Hinner and Row  
them to state nature of client  
inquiries and whether to the  
the client contracted at either  
above named places or  
elsewhere. Please or heart doc

Feb-2-88 Letter to Bro Turner & Mr  
for date of first treatment, nature of dis-  
ease, extent for manual labor. A copy made  
for a full military history. Cit  
Par # 2 with addresses. Ord to Mr  
Letter for history of Case, off. or state  
Burmish com. that history on file o  
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Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

To be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. The official character and signature of any such officer not required by law to use a seal must be certified by the clerk of the proper court, giving dates of beginning and close of official term. If certificate on file so state.

State of Penna, County of Pott, ss:

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven

personally appeared before me, a Recorder of Deeds

within and for the County and State aforesaid, James Bradley

aged 74 years, a resident of the town of Hum of Pa.

County of Pott, State of Pa., who, being

duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States enrolled at the Pittsburg

Pension Agency, at the rate of Seven Dollars

per month, Certificate No. 377825; by reason of disability from Piles, Rheum-

matism, and Insane of chest Here name disability for which pension was granted.

incurred in the military service of the United States, while serving as a private

Co 4 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Penna. Vols Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the army; vessel, if in the navy.

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increased dis-

ability from furnished causes, being unable Here state reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described. If on ac-

count of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place and circumstances of its

origin, and the names of hospitals where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given as nearly as possible.

A. J. Mann That he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

his true and lawful attorney East Hum of Pott G. Pa. to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is East Hum

W. H. Delaney  
J. M. Sutterworth Two witnesses who can write, sign here

James Bradley  
Signature of Claimant



Also personally appeared W. K. Sweetland residing at Coudersport Pa  
and D. W. Butlerworth  
residing at Coudersport Pa persons whom I

CERTIFY to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw James Bradley, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

W. K. Sweetland  
D. W. Butlerworth  
Signatures of Affiants

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of April, A. D. 1897, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words \_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_ added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

James H. Decker  
Official Signature  
Recorder of Deeds  
Official Character

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was, at the time of so doing, \_\_\_\_\_ in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 189\_\_\_\_.  
[ L. S. ]  
Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

To be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. The official character and signature of any such officer not required by law to use a seal must be certified by the clerk of the proper court, giving dates of beginning and close of official term. If certificate on file, so state.

INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

James Bradley, Applicant.

Co. 210 Regt. 68

General Vols

Pension Certificate No. 374825

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Arthur B. Mann

Coudersport Pa

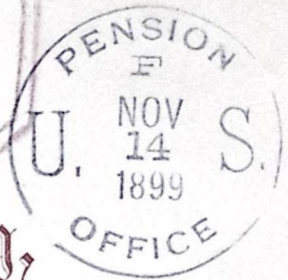
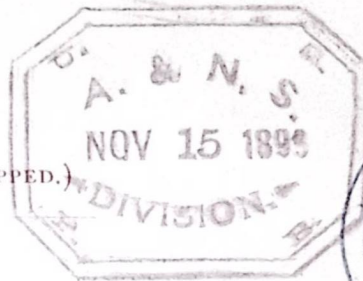
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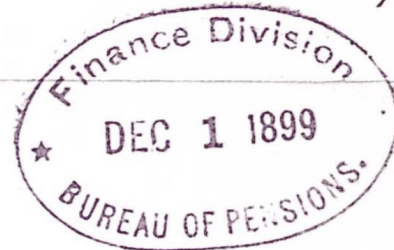


# U. S. Pension Agency,

*Pittsburgh, Pa.*

*Nov 13, 1899.*

*Hon. H. Clay Evans*  
*Commissioner of Pensions.*



*Sir:*

*I hereby report that the name of James Bradley*  
*Pr. F. 210 P. V. Q., who was a pensioner on the rolls*  
*of this Agency, under Certificate No. 374. 825, and who was last paid*  
*at \$ 17, to 4 Jan. 1898, has been dropped*  
*because of Death. Date not given*  
*Gills rheum & dis of chest.*

*Very respectfully,*

**J. W. NESBIT.**

*Pension Agent.*

Every name dropped to be thus reported at once.



War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

257.908

Washington, March 2, 1883.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

James Bradley, a Private of Company "F",  
210th Regiment Pa Volunteers, was enrolled on the  
5th day of Sept, 1864, at Sharon 1 year,  
and is reported: on Roll of Co. Oct 31st 64 present.  
with remarks "On Extra duty at Brig. Pioneer Corps"  
same to Dec 31st 64. Feb 28th 65 present. Same to  
April 30th 65. Mustered out with Co May 30th 65.

A.M.B. Near Alexandria Va.

No additional information.  
Regimental Hospital records or Com-  
pany Returns are not on file.

*[Large stylized flourish]*

*[Signature]*

Assistant Adjutant General.

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## INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, James Bradley

P.O., Condersport

County, Potter

State, Pa

Rank, Pl

Company, 91

Regiment, 210 Pa Col Inf

Rate, \$ 1.75 per month, commencing April 17, 1895.

Disabled by Piles, rheumatism &amp; disease of chest

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY:

Name, A B Mann

P.O., Condersport Pa

Fee \$ 2.00, Agent to pay.

Articles filed, 18

## APPROVALS:

Submitted for May 31, 1895.

Approved for Piles, rheumatism and disease of chest.

Approved for Piles Rheumatism and disease of chest 17/18 from April 17, 1895 age a factor

June 12, 1895, Doctor, Legal Reviewer.

June 12, 1895, Dr. Weatherston, Medical Referee.

Enlisted Sept 8, 1864

Discharged May 30, 1865. Last paid to, at \$ 1.2

Pensioned from May 31, 1865, at \$ 2.00 for April 1865 &amp; \$ 8.00 for

May 12/86 for piles rheumatism &amp; disease of chest

Original declaration filed July 1, 1878; alleged Piles rheumatism dis of heart &amp; affection of lungs.

Dose to \$ 1.2 for Apr 24/87, Inc reg Mar 17/91 &amp; Feb 2/93

Arrears allowed from, 18, to, 18, at \$.

## PRESENT CLAIM.

Declaration filed Oct 9, 1894. Inc Penns caused &amp; totally

incapacitated for manual labor by reason of same

Sigsbee &amp; Co M L



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Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

NOTE.—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal, certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

State of Pennia, County of Potter, ss:

ON THIS 29 day of Sept A. D. one thousand eight hundred and Ninety four

personally appeared before me, a Recorder of Deeds within and for the County and State

aforesaid, James Bradley aged 71 years, a resident of

Nebron Twp. County of Potter State of

Pennia, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the

United States, enrolled at the Pittsburg Pension Agency at the rate of twelve

dollars per month, Certificate No. 374825; by reason of disability from piles, rheumatism

tum and disease of chest  
(Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

incurred in the military service of the United States, while serving as a private Co "E"

210<sup>th</sup> Regt Pennia Vols (Here state rank, company, and  
regiment, if in the army; vessel if in the navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increased disability

from piles, rheumatism and disease of chest being now  
(Here state reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described. If

totally incapacitated by reason of said disabilities from  
on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place and circumstances

performing any kind of manual labor  
of its origin, and the names of hospitals where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given as nearly as

(possible.)

that he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

A. J. Momm of Coudersport, Pa.

his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is Coudersport, Potter Co. Pa.

Wm Daniels  
F. B. Nelson

(Two witnesses who can write, sign here.)

James Bradley  
(Signature of Claimant.)

ATTY FILED.



Also personally appeared William Daniel residing at Coudersport Pa  
and F B Nelson residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Jim Daniels  
 F. B. Nelson

(Signature of Affiliants.)

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words \_\_\_\_\_

..... added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

James H. Dwyer  
(Official Signature.)

Recorder of Deeds  
(Official Character.)

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the

INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

James Bradley, Applicant.

Co. F, 240<sup>th</sup> Reg't,

*Vol.*s.

Pension Certificate No.

374825

Filed by

Wick

Condensport.

Printed and for sale by J. H. SOUTLÉ, Washington, D. C.



of. 374,825

increase. INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, James Bradley.  
 P.O., Condersport. Rank, Private.  
 County, Potter. Company, F.  
 State, Pa. Regiment, 210 Pa. Vol Inf.

Rate, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month, commencing \_\_\_\_\_

REJECTED.

Disabled by \_\_\_\_\_

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY:

Name, A. B. Mann. Fee \$ 2., Agent \_\_\_\_\_ to pay.  
 P.O., Condersport. Pa. Articles filed \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVALS:

Submitted for Jany. 16, 1893. M. A. Custer. Examiner.  
 Approved for Piles, rheumatism & disease of chest Approved for Piles, rheumatism & disease of chest  
chest 18 (no increase).

Jany. 18, 1893. Vaughn. Legal Reviewer. Custer. Medical Referee.  
Feb. 2, 1893. Thos. Dugan.

Enrolled 5 Sept. - 1864  
 Discharged May 30 - 1865 Last paid to \_\_\_\_\_ at \$ 12.  
 Pensioned from May 31, 1865 at \$ 2. for piles, rheumatism,  
dis. of chest. 8/6. fr. Apr. 4/83 fr. May 12/86.  
 Original declaration filed July 1, 1878 alleged rheumatism, heart  
dis. bleeding piles & affection of lungs.  
Inc. to \$12. fr. Apr. 24/89.  
" 2c." March 19/91.

Arrears allowed from \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_, at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PRESENT CLAIM.

Declaration filed April 6, 1892. piles, rheumatism &  
dis. of chest.

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# Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

NOTE.—This form is to be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal (certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

State of Illinois, County of Polk, ss:

ON THIS 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two

personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County and State

of Illinois, County of Polk, State of Illinois, aged 69 years, a resident of

Polk, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, enrolled at the Polk Pension Agency at the rate of twelve

dollars per month, Certificate No. 374825 by reason of disability from fever, rheumatism and disease of chest (Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

incurred in the military service of the United States, while serving as a private 60<sup>th</sup> (Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the army; vessel if in the navy.)

That he believed himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increased disability from fever, rheumatism and disease of chest being now totally incapacitated by reason of said disabilities from performing any kind of manual labor. (Here state reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described. If on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place and circumstances of its origin, and the names of hospitals where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given as nearly as possible.)

A. B. Mann that he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, Conduff P. R. of Polk his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is W. C. Bradley Youngsville  
H. J. O'Connell (Signature of Claimant.)



Also personally appeared W E Bradley residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Watson Peter Co Pa and H J Olinsted residing at \_\_\_\_\_

Coudersport Pa persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw James Bradley, the claimant, sign his name (make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

(If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4 day of April, A. D. 1892

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

L. S.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County

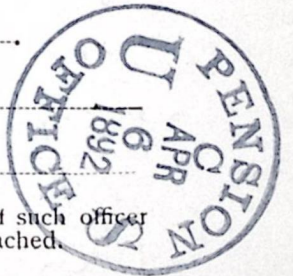
and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_.

L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal, certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.



INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

James Bradley, Applicant.

Co. J, 210" Reg't,

Remia Vols.

Pension Certificate No. 374825

Filed by

W. B. Mann

Coudersport Pa

Printed and for sale by J. H. SOULE, Washington, D C



Increase **INVALID PENSION.**

Claimant,

*James Bradley*

P.O.,

*Oswayo Potter*

County,

State,

*Pa.*

Rank,

*Prin*

Company,

Regiment,

*210 Pa. Vol. Inf.*

Rate, \$

per month, commencing

Disabled by

*Piles, rheumatism and dis. of chest*

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY:

Name,

*Samuel Beebe*

Fee \$

*10*

Agent

to pay.

P.O.,

*Oswayo**Pa.*

Articles filed

, 18

## APPROVALS:

Submitted for

*FEB 19 1891*

, 18

Approved for

*Piles rheumatism & dis chest*

Approved for

*Piles rheumatism & disease of chest 12/18 No incurable*

Examiner.

Submitted for

, 18

Legal Reviewer.

Approved for

*J. A. M. Coleman Mar 19, 1891*

Medical Referee.

Discharged

*May 30*

, 18

*65*

Last paid to

at \$

*12*

Pensioned from

*" 31*

, 18

*"*

at \$

*2 & 6*

for

*April 4-83 & \$8 fr. May 12/86.*

Same as abv.

Original declaration filed

*July 1*

, 18

*78*

alleged

*Chenma, heart dis, bleeding Piles & affection of lungs**Inc \$12 fr. April 24-89.*

Arrears allowed from

, 18

to

, 18

at \$

## PRESENT CLAIM.

Declaration filed

*May 24, 1890. Original*



# Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

TAKE NOTICE that if this declaration is executed before a Justice of the Peace or a Notary Public, the certificate of the Clerk of the Court, as to the official character and genuineness of the signature of such officer must be attached. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and DELAY.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Pottsville ss:

ON THIS 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine

personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State

aforesaid, James Bradley aged 67 years, a resident of

Webster Township County of Pottsville State of

Pennsylvania, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the

United States, enrolled at the Pittsburgh P. A. Pension Agency at the rate of Twelve

dollars per month, Certificate No. 374825, by reason of disability from Piles, Rheumatism,  
(Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

and disease of chest;

incurred in the Military service of the United States, while serving as a Private in  
(Military or Naval) (Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the army; vessel

Co. F 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry  
if in the Navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increase in the

disability for which already pensioned;  
(Here state the reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described.

namely: Piles, Rheumatism and disease of chest;  
If on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place and

circumstances of its origin, and the names of hospitals, where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given

as nearly as possible.)

that he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Samuel Beebe of Oswayo Pottsville Pa.

his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is Oswayo Pottsville Pa.

John Lewis James Beebe  
[Signature of Claimant.]

James H. Stittson  
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]



Also personally appeared John Davis residing at Oswayo  
Pottsville Pa and James H. Stetson residing at  
Oswayo Pottsville Pa persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who  
being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw James Bradley  
the claimant sign his name (make his mark) to the foregoing  
declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him that  
he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

John Davis  
James H. Stetson  
[Signature of Affiants.]  
[If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May A. D. 1890

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the  
applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words  
erased and the words  
added; and I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the  
prosecution of this claim.

Certificate on file  
in Pension Office  
[L. S.]

Squire Estes  
[Official Signature.]  
Justice of the Peace  
[Official Character]

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County  
and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the  
foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and  
for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that  
his signature thereunto is genuine

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1890

[L. S.] Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

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not on a separate slip of paper.

INVALID.	CLAIM FOR INCREASE.	James Bradley Applicant.	Co F	210 <sup>th</sup>	Reg't.	Pennsylvania Infantry Vols.	Pension Certificate No. 374,825
<div>FILED BY <u>Samuel B. Barber</u> <u>Oswayo Pottsville Pa</u> <u>P. A.</u></div>							





# INVALID PENSION.

374825  
Pills

**Claimant,**

P.O.,

County,

State,

Rank,

Company,

Regiment,

**Rate, \$**

per month, commencing

**Disabled by**

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY:

Name,

P.O.,

Fee \$

, Agent

to pay.

Articles filed

, 18

## APPROVALS:

Submitted for

Approved for

Approved for

, Examiner.

, Medical Referee.

Discharged

Pensioned from

Original declaration filed

, 1862

, 1862

, 1878

Last paid to

, at \$

, alleged

, at \$

, for

, heart

Arrears allowed from

, 18

, to

, 18

, at \$

## PRESENT CLAIM.

Declaration filed

, 1888



# Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

TAKE NOTICE.—If this declaration is executed before a Justice of the Peace or a Notary Public, the certificate of the CLERK OF THE COURT, as to the official character and genuineness of the signature of such officer must be attached. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and DELAY.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Potter, ss.

ON THIS 30<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty Eight

personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace, within and for the County and State

aforesaid, James Bradley aged 65 years, a resident of

Hebron Township County of Potter State of

Pennsylvania, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the

United States, enrolled at the Pittsburgh Pa. Pension Agency at the rate of Eight

dollars per month, Certificate No. 374,825, by reason of disability from Piles, Rheumatism

(Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

and disease of Chest

incurred in the Military service of the United States, while serving as a Private

(Military or Naval.)

(Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the army; vessel

in Co. F 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment Pennsylvania Vol. Infantry

if in the Navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increase in the

disability for which already pensioned: Piles,

Rheumatism and disease of the Chest.

If on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place

and circumstances of its origin, and the names of hospitals, where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment

should be given as nearly as possible.)

that he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Samuel Beebe of Oswayo Potter County Pa.

his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is Oswayo Potter County Pa.

James Bradley

John A. McDonald

G. R. Wilbur

[Claimant's Signature.]

[If claimant signs by mark, two witnesses must sign here.]



also personally appeared John A. McDonald, residing at Oswayo  
Pottawamie County, Wis., and G. R. Wilber  
residing at Oswayo Pottawamie County, Wis., persons whom I certify to be  
respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw  
James Bradley, the claimant sign his name (make his mark) to the foregoing  
declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him  
that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

[If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

John A. McDonald  
G. R. Wilber  
[Signature of Affiants.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1888

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained  
to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words

erased, and the words

, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect

in the prosecution of this claim.

Certificate on file

[L. S.]

Samuel Johnston  
[Official Signature.]  
Justice of the Peace  
[Official Character.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County  
and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who hath signed his name to the  
foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and  
for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and  
that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

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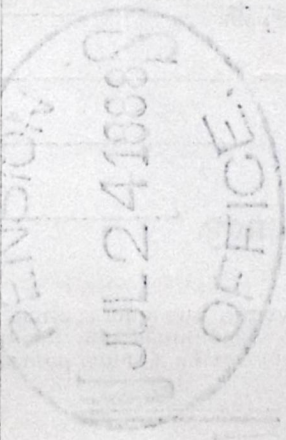
INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

James Bradley Applicant.  
"Co. F", 210<sup>th</sup> Reg't.

Pennsylvania Vols.

Pension Certificate No. 374825



Filed by

Samuel B. Baker  
Oswayo Pottawamie  
Wis.

Printed and for sale by J. H. SOULE, Washington, D. C.



## ORIGINAL INVALID CLAIM.

Soldier,

P. O.,

County,

State,

Rates, \$

per month, commencing

Rank,

Company,

Regiment,

Pensioned for

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name,

P. O.,

Fee, \$ 10 ; Agent \_\_\_\_\_ to pay.

Articles filed \_\_\_\_\_, 18 .

## APPROVALS.

Approved for \_\_\_\_\_

Submitted \_\_\_\_\_, 18 ;

\_\_\_\_\_, Examiner.

Approved for

piles, rheumatism  
and disease of chest

Approved for

piles rheumatism &  
disease of chest  
1/4 to May 12 1886 April 4/83  
3/4 thereafter to May 12  
1886 & total thereafter.Sept 29-1887. *Storr*, Legal Reviewer.\_\_\_\_\_, 1887, *Kocman*, Re-Reviewer.*Whitby*, Med. Ex'r. *Salced*, Med. Reviewer,Sept 29, 1887, *Johns*, Med. Referee.



## ORIGINAL INVALID CLAIM.

Soldier, James Bradley,  
 P. O., Oswayo, Rank, Private,  
 County, Penn. Company, 7,  
 State, Penna. Regiment, 210 Pa. vol. Inf.  
 Rates, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month, commencing May 31, 1865.

Pensioned for \_\_\_\_\_

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, Samuel Beebe, Fee, \$ 10; Agent \_\_\_\_\_ to pay.  
 P. O., Oswayo, Penna. Articles filed \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_.

## APPROVALS.

Approved for Rheumatism. Other disease, not shown.  
 Submitted Aug. 20, 1887; F. J. Macmillan, \_\_\_\_\_, Examiner.  
 Approved for Rheumatism, piles and Approved for \_\_\_\_\_  
disease of chest.  
For rejection of heart disease, if not  
medically shown to exist as a result  
of the rheumatism, as the evidence does  
not establish its independent origin, or satis-  
factarily show its continuance since disch.  
Aug. 31/87. Rendon, Legal Reviewer. \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Ex'r, \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Reviewer,  
 \_\_\_\_\_, 188 \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, Re-Reviewer. \_\_\_\_\_, 188 \_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Referee.

## IMPORTANT DATES.

Enlisted Sept. 5, 1864 service from \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mustered Sept 17, 1864 18 \_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_, in  
 Discharged May 30, 1865.  
 Declaration filed July 1, 1878. Not in service since May 30, 1865.

## BASIS OF CLAIM.

In declaration filed July 1, 1878, claimant avers  
 that about Apr. '65, at Gravelly Run, Va., he con-  
 vulsed rheumatism, heart disease, bleeding piles and af-  
 fection of lungs.



Index \_\_\_\_\_, Claim No. \_\_\_\_\_

Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Reg't \_\_\_\_\_

ARRANGE PAPERS IN INVALID CLAIMS—1. Declaration; 2. Soldier's statements as to origin; 3. A. G.; 4. S. G.; 5. Cert. of Dis. Let history as to origin, continuance, &c., follow in regular order.

IN WIDOWS' AND DEPENDENT RELATIVES' CLAIMS—Let evidence of soldier's death, marriage, dependence, &c., follow evidence of origin and continuance of fatal disease.

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NO.	NAME AND P. O. ADDRESS.	DATE OF FILING.	SUBJECT.
1.	Claimant, Aug 1, 78,	Origin,	
2.	Claimant's statements,		
3.	A. G. and S. G. service and treat.		
4.	Alanson T. Kinney, Shingle House, Potter Co., Penna.	Origin,	Reliable.
5.	George F. Rowley, Oswayo, Potter Co., Pa.	Origin,	
6.	Levi Robbins, Lewis W. Bible,	Origin and after.	
7.	Miss Nichols, Chomstet, Potter Co., Pa.	Origin,	
8.	C. A. Primes, Allentown, Lehigh Co., N. Y.		
9.	W. A. Monroe, Oswayo, Potter Co., Pa.		
10.	William Dyer, George Cruch,	At discharge,	
11.	W. A. Turner, M. D., Oswayo, Potter Co., Pa.		
12.	Isaac Whittem, East Nelson, Potter Co., Penna.	after.	



# Declaration for Original Invalid Pension

State of Pennsylvania }  
County of Potter } SS -

On this 2<sup>d</sup> day of May A.D. 1878 -  
personally appeared before me Prothonotary  
within and for the County of Potter and  
State aforesaid, James Bradley aged  
54 years a resident of Newbron Township  
County of Potter and State of Pennsylvania,  
who being duly sworn according to law,  
declares that he is the identical James  
Bradley, who was Enrolled on the Fifth  
day of Sept A.D. 1864, <sup>as Private</sup> in Company "F," of the 210<sup>th</sup>  
"Regt," Pennsylvania Vol., Commanded by  
Lieut. G. F. Rowlee, and was honorably  
Discharged at Arlington Heights Va. on  
the 13<sup>th</sup> day May A.D. 1865, by reason of his  
Services being no longer required, that his  
personal description is as follows, Age 40  
years, Five feet, Eight and one half in his  
height, Fair complexion, Blue Eyes, Dark  
hair, and by occupation a Farmer, that  
while a member of the Organization  
aforesaid, in the Service and in the line  
of his duty, <sup>On or about the middle of April A.D. 1865</sup> at Gravelly Run Pa. he contracted  
Rheumatism, Blind Bleeding Piles, and  
Heart & Lung disease, caused by Exposure  
and heavy lifting, was treated by the  
Regimental Surgeon do not remember  
his name, was treated several times and



and had a pass from same Surgeon  
to go to the Ambulance Corps. That he  
has not been Employed in the Military  
or Naval Service Otherwise than as  
stated above, That since leaving the  
Service this Applicant has resided in the  
Townships of Keokuk & Osceola Potter Co.,  
Pa. and his Occupation has been That  
of a Farmer. and that his Post Office  
Address is Osceola Potter County and  
State of Pennsylvania That he appoints

Samuel. Butler of Osceola Potter County Pa. his true and  
lawful Attorney to prosecute his claims  
W. H. Turner & W. W. Crittenden

W. H. Turner & W. W. Crittenden  
Also personally appeared  
W. H. Turner and W. W. Crittenden  
Residing at Osceola Potter County and  
State of Pennsylvania persons whom I  
certify to be respectable and entitled  
to credit and who being by me duly sworn  
say they were present and saw James  
Bradley the claimant sign his name  
to the foregoing declaration. That they  
have every reason to believe from the  
appearance of said claimant and their  
acquaintance with him that he is the  
identical person he represents himself  
to be and that they have no interest in the  
prosecution of this claim

W. H. Turner  
W. W. Crittenden



Sworn to and Subscribed before  
me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May A.D. 1878. and I  
certify that the contents of the above  
declaration was fully made known  
and explained to the applicant and  
witnesses before me, and that  
I have no interest direct or indirect  
in the prosecution of this claim.

P. A. Stebbins Jr

Prothonotary



Location for  
valid Pension

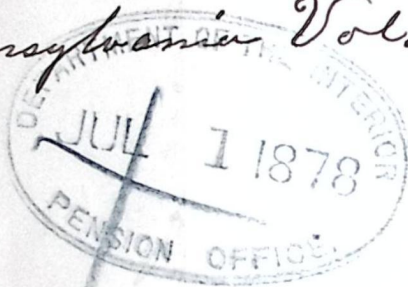
Claimant

James Bradley

Private of Company

210<sup>th</sup> Regt.,

Pennsylvania Vol.,



Filed by

Wm. B. Butler

Attorney

Oswayo

Postmaster

P.A.



State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter } ss.

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February A.D.  
1879. before me the Subscriber one of the  
Justices of the peace in and for the County  
of Potter and State aforesaid, personally  
appeared James Bradley who being duly  
sworn according to law deposes and  
says, that he was late Private of Company  
"H" 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pennsylvania Vol. in the  
War of 1861 for the suppression of the Rebellion,  
and was treated while in said service  
by the Regimental Surgeons at the Weldon  
Raid, dont remember his name, and  
received no treatment after that while  
in the service for the reason that he could  
not get it, was not in hospital,  
and that he resides in Hebron Township  
County of Potter and State of Pennsylvania  
and his Post Office address is Oswayo Potter  
Co. Pa.

James Bradley

Sworn and subscribed before me the day and year first above  
written, and I hereby certify that I have no interest  
directly or indirectly in this claim, and am not  
concerned in its prosecution

A. Sidney Lyman  
Justice of the Peace.





Original Evidence  
for Invalid Pension  
N<sup>o</sup> 257,908

Clammant

James. Bradley  
Private Company "F," 210<sup>th</sup>  
Reg<sup>t</sup> Pennsylvania Vol<sup>t</sup>

Filed by

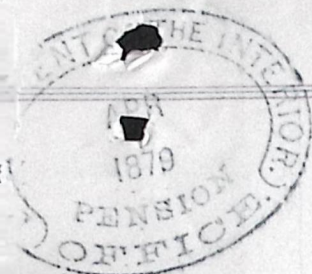
Samuel Beebe

Attorney

Oswayo

Potter Co<sup>rs</sup>

P. A.





# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Pottu ss:

In the matter of Original Invalid Pension of James Bradley  
Serv of Co. F. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt Pa Vol

ON THIS 9<sup>th</sup> day of March A. D. 188 7 personally appeared before me

A Justice of the peace in and for the aforesaid County duly authorized to administer oaths,

James Bradley aged 64 years, a resident of Hebron Township

in the County of Pottu and State of Pennsylvania

whose Post Office address is Osways Pottu Co Pa

aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_

in the county of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of \_\_\_\_\_

whose Post Office address is \_\_\_\_\_

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That he is the above named Applicant, and it is impossible to furnish the evidence of

[Note—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

of Comrades, except the evidence of C. A. Pinner and Levi Robbins as to sickness, and its incurrence while in the service;

For the reason that he was away from the Company on detached duty. Left the Company in the fall of 1864, and did not return to the Company until after Lee's Surrender, joined the Company at Burks Station. he was detailed to the Pioneer Corps, and was among entire strangers and during that service he contracted the disabilities for which he claims a pension. Consequently he is unable to better prove the incurrence of the disabilities. A few days prior to Lee's Surrender he was excused from duty, and he done no more duty until he arrived at Burks Station, and that he only reached Burks Station by the aid of a horse he picked up. Only for that he could never reached there for he could not march. And there was no Ambulance Train that he could reach.

Further declare that no interest in said case and not concerned in

[If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

James Bradley  
 [Signature of Affiants.]



STATE OF

COUNTY OF

ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, including the words \_\_\_\_\_, erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_

added

and acquainted *him* with its contents before *he* executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant *is* personally known to me

and that *he is a* credible person.

*Certificate on file*

[L. S.]

*Square Estes*  
[Official Signature.]  
*Justice of the Peace*  
[Official Character.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County

and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the

foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and

for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188 \_\_\_\_\_

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

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ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

*James Bradley*  
*Chas. of Co. H. 210 Regt*  
*Penn. Vols*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Claimant*  
*James Bradley*

*No. 257.908*

FILED BY

*Samuel B. Beebe*  
*Assays Pottery Co*  
*W. A. S.*



# INABILITY AFFIDAVIT.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Potter

In the matter of the Original Invalid Pension Claim, No. 257908  
of James Bradley Late of Co. F. 210<sup>th</sup> Pa. Vols.

ON THIS 13<sup>th</sup> day of March A. D. 1886; personally appeared before me, a

Justice of the Peace in and for the aforesaid county, duly authorized to administer oaths,

James Bradley a resident of Hebron Township  
in the County of Potter and State of Pennsylvania  
whose Post Office address is Osways Potter Co. Pa. and

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn declares in relation to the aforesaid case

as follows: That he is unable to comply with the requirements of the Pension Office as to furnishing the  
Affidavit of the Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon of  
his Regiment as to treatment of Piles, Rheumatism,  
Lung & heart disease while in the Service  
for the reason that he is unable to get any communication  
from either of them; and that he has not  
the means financially to go and see them,

That he is unable to prove his condition from date of discharge up to the year \_\_\_\_\_ by medical testimony,  
for the reason that \_\_\_\_\_

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He respectfully requests that the testimony of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ be accepted in lieu of \_\_\_\_\_

Wm L Shattuck  
C. A. Linco [If Affiant signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.] [Signature] [Signature of Affiant.] [Signature]



STATE OF Pennsylvania , COUNTY OF Pott

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant , and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant including the words

erased, and the words added

and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution ; and that said affiant is personally known to me

and that he is a credible person .

my certificate on file in function office

[L. S.

Squire Eastes  
[Official Signature.]  
Justice of the Peace  
[Official Character.]

I Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn ; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this day of 188

[L. S.

Clerk of the

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ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

James Bradley  
Leg Co. F. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt Pa. Vol.

AFFIDAVIT OF

James Bradley  
Claimant

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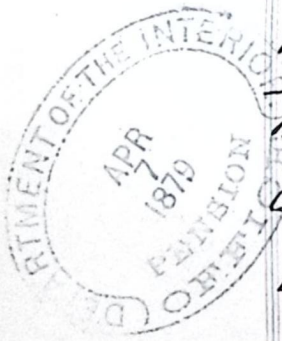


State of Pennsylvania,  
County of McKean } ss.

On this 27 day of March A.D. 1879—  
before me the Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace  
in and for the County of McKean and State aforesaid  
personally appeared A. T. Kinney a resident  
of Sharon Township County of Potter and State of  
Pennsylvania, who being by me duly sworn according  
to law deposes and says, that he was Captain of  
Company "F" 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment Pennsylvania Vol. in  
the War of 1861 for the suppression of the Rebellion.  
And that he is personally acquainted with  
James Bradley, who was a Private in the same  
Company and Regiment, and knows from personal  
knowledge, that the said James Bradley while in  
the line of duty on or about the 6<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1865, was severely injured while working in  
the water building a Bridge, and did no more  
duty after that, and a short time before this he  
was injured while in the line of duty tearing  
up the Railroad on what is known as the Wildcat  
Railroad, and deponent further states that  
he resides as above stated and that his Post Office  
address is Shingle House Potter County Pa. and  
that he has no interest in this claim.

A. T. Kinney

Sworn to and Subscribed before me the day and year  
first above written, and I certify that the deponent  
is reputable and entitled to full credit, and





That I have no interest, directly or indirectly in this  
claim and am not concerned in its prosecution

J. H. Love

Justice of the Peace

Chas. Coffin file

Comrade

Anderson



Marshall Mich

Hon W W Bradley

Dec 28/82

Sir

In reply to this inquiry  
I can only say that Mr  
Bradley was a member of my  
company & I distinctly remember the  
man<sup>nd</sup> of his being detailed in  
the Pioneer corps, <sup>and</sup> that he  
was sick about the time of  
mustering out but what the  
disability was I cannot recall.  
I have no data here by which  
to refresh my memory & I could not  
be positive as to the exact circumstances.  
My impression is that he is a worthy  
man, I know very well that he was sound  
at enlistment & that he came home sick  
& that whenever I have seen him since he has  
complained of the consequences of the disease  
contracted in the service. Very respectfully  
A. H. Kinney



Mid. Div.  
L.A.P.

Department of the Interior.

PENSION OFFICE.

Washington, D.C. Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>, 1882,

Sir.

In claim for Invalid pension N<sup>o</sup> 257908 of James Bradley as private Co. "F" 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa. Vols, please furnish this office as far as practicable a description of the claimant's disability while in the service,

Return this letter with your reply.

Very Respectfully,

Wm M. Dudley

Commissioner

Alanson T. Kinney

Shingle House

Pa.



# War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., April 17<sup>th</sup>, 1879.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt from your Office of application for Pension No. 454,908, and to return it herewith, with such information as is furnished by the files of this Office.

It appears from the Rolls on file in this Office that Wm. J. Kinney was enrolled on the day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1864, at \_\_\_\_\_ in Co. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment of \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteers, to serve \_\_\_\_\_ years or during the war, and mustered into service as a \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1864, at St. Louis, in Co. B, 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Pa. Volunteers, to serve \_\_\_\_\_ years, or during the war. On the Master Roll of Co. B of that Regiment, for the month of November, 1864, he is reported present, Station of Co. near Petersburg, Va. Return for March 1865, reports present, Captain, present.

I am, sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

The Commissioner of Pensions,  
Washington, D. C.

Samuel Breck  
Assistant Adjutant General

Wm. J. Kinney



Harrobes

No. 3.

Invalid

DIVISION.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

April 8<sup>th</sup>, 1879.

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT  
GENERAL U. S. A. a report from the records of his  
Office as to the presence or absence, on or about  
Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1864 and March 6<sup>th</sup> 65,  
of Alanson T. Kinney  
Captain

of T. 210. Pa vols  
and the station, at that date, of the co & Regt

Claim No. 257908

James Bradley

L A Bentley

Commissioner.

Recessed





Middle  
T. N. P.

Div.

[3-083.]

State:

Ex'r.



Department of the Interior,  
Pension Office,

Washington, D. C., Oct. 14, 1882

Sir:

Will you be so kind as to inform this Office, by indorsement  
on the back of this letter, as to the general reputation for truth and  
standing in the community of Alanson F. Kinney

of Shingle House, affiant in Invalid's  
pension claim No. 257908, of James Bradley,  
of Co. F, 210 Reg't Pa. Vols.

Your early reply will be appreciated and considered strictly con-  
fidential.

Very respectfully, Wm. F. Bradley

Postmaster  
Shingle House  
Pa.

Commissioner.



Standing is good. This class  
John Brooks D.M.  
Shingletown  
Dec. 21, 1882, Pa



State of Pennsylvania }  
County of Potter } SS.

On This 14<sup>th</sup> day of March A.D. 1879  
Before me The Subscriber One of the Justices of the  
peace in and for the County and State aforesaid  
personally appeared George F. Rowlee a  
resident of Oswayo Township County of Potter  
and State of Pennsylvania, who being by me  
duly sworn according to law deposes and says  
that he was 2<sup>d</sup> Lieutenant in Company "F", 210<sup>th</sup>  
Regt. Pennsylvania Vol., in the late war of A.D. 1861  
for the suppression of the Rebellion, and is personally  
acquainted with James Bradley who was Private  
in the same Company and Regiment, and  
knows from personal knowledge that the  
said James Bradley while in the line of duty  
in the month of November 1864, was in-  
jured while tearing up the railroad track  
on what is known as the Meldow raid, and  
that during the winter following he was un-  
der medical treatment for said injuries.  
and was still suffering from their  
effect at the time he was mustered out  
of the United States Service

And deponent further states that  
he resides as above stated, and that  
his Post Office address is Oswayo  
Potter County Pa. and that he



has no interest in this claim for  
a pension

George H Rowley  
& Son & Co

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
the day and year first above written.  
and I certify that the deponent is a  
reputable person and entitled to full  
credit, and that I have no interest di-  
rectly or indirectly in this claim and  
am not concerned in its prosecution.

A. Sidney Lyman  
Justice of the Peace.

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PENSION OFFICE

Washington, D.C. Dec 26, 1887

Sir

In pension claim No 257908  
of James Bradley private Co "F" 210 Pa Vols  
you state in an affidavit filed April 7<sup>th</sup> 1879  
that the claimant was injured  
while helping to trace up a portion  
of rail road track, or what is known  
as Weldon's raid in the month of  
November 1864. Will you kindly inform  
this office with the return of this letter  
the nature of claimants injury and  
whether at said time and place  
the claimant incurred rheumatism  
piles, lung and heart disease or  
any other diseases of a like nature.





Department of the Interior  
PENSION OFFICE

Washington, D.C.

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Very respectfully

W. W. Dudley

Commissioner

George F. Rowles

Oswego  
Potter Co. Pa

Ans

Sir. In reply to the above. I would say that from my recollection, James Bradley, at the time mentioned, complained of his legs and side, which I think was from Rheumatism. He was in the Pioneer Corps at that said, and was hurt while tearing up the rail-road and afterwards was lame. I have heard him complain of Rheumatism since the war. As to the other diseases mentioned

(over)



in the above inquiry I know nothing

Very Respectfully Yours

G. F. Rowlee

Osnays Pa Jan 9<sup>th</sup> 1883.

Lat Lint Co F<sup>210</sup> A.P.V.



# War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, D. C.,

April 17<sup>th</sup> 1879.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt from your Office of application for Pension No. 254,908, and to return it herewith, with such information as is furnished by the files of this Office.

It appears from the Rolls on file in this Office that Geo. S. Rowlee was enrolled on the day of \_\_\_\_\_, 186 , at \_\_\_\_\_ in Co. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment of \_\_\_\_\_ Volunteers, to serve \_\_\_\_\_ years or during the war, and mustered into service as a \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 186 , at 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut., in Co. H, 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Inf. Volunteers, to serve \_\_\_\_\_ years, or during the war. On the Muster Roll of Co. H Return of that Regiment, for the month of November, 1864, he is reported present, Station near Petersburg, Va.

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I am, sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

The Commissioner of Pensions,

Washington, D. C.

Samuel Breck  
Assistant Adjutant General.

Wm. R. R. R.



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Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

April 20, 1879.

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT  
GENERAL U. S. A. a report from the records of his  
Office as to the presence or absence, on or about  
November, 1864;  
of George F. Rowles  
2d Lieut.

of Co F. 210 Pa Vols.  
and the station, at that date, of the Co & Regt.

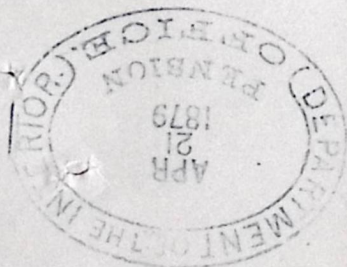
Claim No. 257908

James Bradley

J A Bentley

Commissioner.

James Bradley





# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Potter ss:

In the matter of Original Invalid Pension of James Bradley  
Sat. Co. H. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa Vols.

ON THIS 9<sup>th</sup> day of March A. D. 1887; personally appeared before me

A Justice of the peace in and for the aforesaid County duly authorized to administer oaths,

Levi Robbins aged 43 years, a resident of Oswayo Township

in the County of Potter and State of Pennsylvania

whose Post Office address is Oswayo, Potter County Pa and

Lewis W. Dibble aged 67 years, a resident of Webster Township

in the county of Potter and State of Pennsylvania

whose Post Office address is East Webster Potter County Pa

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That they are each personally and well acquainted with the above named Applicant James Bradley

[NOTE—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

And have been for the past 14, & 30 years respectively  
And Levi Robbins says for himself that he was a  
member of the same Company and Regt with Applicant  
Applicant being Private of Co. H. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Pa Vols. and that  
he well remembers that after his Surrender and while  
we was marching to Arlington Heights, Applicant was  
sick, he appeared to be quite lame, and he was discharged  
at the same time the Applicant was we came home  
together as far as Wellsville N.Y. and there he had to  
lay over to next day on account of being sick, he was  
sick and lame in the fall and Summer of 1865 Applicant  
and Applicant worked together and he then complained  
of being troubled with the Piles could not do much labor,  
could drive team some.

And Lewis W. Dibble says for himself  
that he has known Applicant for the past 14 years  
have lived near neighbor to him most of the time  
have often worked with him and during all of that  
time Applicant has had poor health, has been lame,  
has had a cough almost continually have often  
heard him complain of being troubled with Piles  
could not lift any thing of any weight he has worked for  
him clearing land when he could only drive team,  
and sometimes was compelled to quit that; and  
during his acquaintance with Applicant he has not  
been able to perform more than one half the labor of a sound man.

Affiants further declare that they have no interest in said case and are not concerned in its prosecution.

Levi Robbins

Lewis W. Dibble



STATE OF

*Pennsylvania*

COUNTY OF

*Pottu*

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, including the words \_\_\_\_\_, erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_

added

and acquainted *them* with its contents before *they* executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant \$ *am* personally known to me

and that *They are* credible person.

*Certificate in file*

[L. S.]

*Squire Estes*  
[Official Signature.]

*Justice of the Peace*  
[Official Character.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County

and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188 .

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.



ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

*James Bradley*  
*Chas. Cat. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt*  
*Penn'a Vols.*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Levin Robbins*  
*Levin W. Sibble*

*No. 257,908*

FILED BY

*Samuel B. Bunker*  
*Carway Pottu*  
*P. A.*

Printed and for sale by J. H. SOULE, Washington, D. C.



## War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, June 29, 1887.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

Levi Robbins, a Private of Company "I",  
 210<sup>th</sup> Regiment Penna. Volunteers, was enrolled on the  
 day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1865, at \_\_\_\_\_,

and is reported: on Roll for March & April 65 present  
 ~ Present and Mustered Out with Co. May 30<sup>th</sup>  
 1865 Near Alexandria Va.

Return for March '65 shows him absent  
 sick in Genl. Hospital since Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> /65

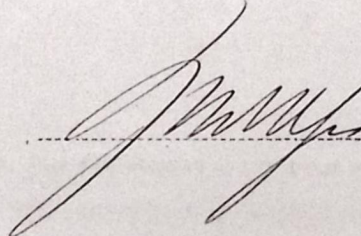
Station March 31<sup>st</sup> /65 In the field Va.  
 Hatcher's Run Va. ~ April 30<sup>th</sup> /65 Camp  
 Sargent Va.

Co. Morning Report April 30<sup>th</sup> /65 shows him  
 "From absent sick to duty"

R. C. DRUM,

Adjutant General. ✓

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Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

May 14, 1887.

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT  
GENERAL U. S. A. a report from the records of his

Office as to the presence or absence, on or about

April & May, 1865,

of Levi Robbins,

7210 Pa. vol. Inf. 1

and the station, at that date, of the

Comment.

Claim No. 257,908.

James Braxley, 7210 Pa.  
vol. Inf.

John C Black

Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

PENSION OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,



May 12, 1887.

Middle River,  
Y. M., N. Y.  
Inquirer No. 257,908,

James Bradley,  
Co. F 210 Regt. Pa. Vol. Inf.

Sir:

To further aid this Office in the adjudication of the above entitled claim for pension in which you have testified that James Bradley became disabled while in the U. S. service, please furnish a statement in your own handwriting, setting forth all the facts within your personal knowledge relating thereto.

If such disability resulted from disease, state its name or nature, how claimant was affected thereby, and when, where and how you first became aware of the fact.

If the disability resulted from an injury or a wound, state whether you were an eye-witness of its origin, and whether you saw the affected part. If so, describe the injury or wound, give its location, date of occurrence and time of your first seeing the same. Your early answer endorsed upon the back of this letter will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John G. Black  
Commissioner.

Levi Robbins, Esq.,

Osweego,

Porter Co., Penna.



Co Sango May 29 1887

I am Sir in answer to your letter of  
inquiry concerning James Bradley I will say  
I was personally acquainted with him before he went  
into the service and know he was a well man  
and have lived in the neighborhood with him  
since he came home and know he has been sick  
a good share of the time after getting our  
discharge and got in wellsville he was sick and  
not able to come home with the rest of us

Dr. Thurman being in wellsville at the time  
told him he was not able to come north or  
and if he would stay all night he would fetch  
him in which he did and I know that all that

summer he could not do any thing but light  
work

Yours Robbing





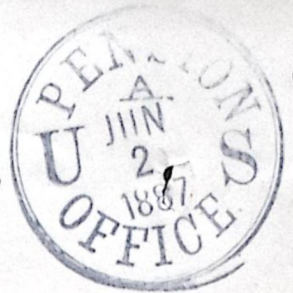
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F. M., Exr.

Invent. No. 257,908,

James Bradley,  
Co. F 210 Regt. Pa. Vol. Inf.

Department of the Interior,  
Pension Office.



Washington, D.C. May 13, 1887

Sir:

To further aid this Office in determining the merits of the claim above entitled, be kind enough to answer in your own handwriting the following questions, giving more complete details than your affidavit on file affords.

Lewis W. Dibble, Esq.  
East Lebanon,  
Pottsville Co., Pa.

Very respectfully,  
John C. Black  
Commissioner.

When did you first see James Bradley, after he returned from the army, and how do you fix the date? I first saw

Ans: James Bradley in the year 1888 he was quite lame he said he was suffering from rheumatism.

Was he then suffering from any disability? Contracted in the

Ans: I saw him occasionally for about 15 years he...

What did he complain, and how was he affected? often complained to be lame all this time of the pines

How frequently have you seen him since your first acquaintance?

Ans: I have also been personally acquainted with him.

Has he continued to suffer with such disability?

Ans: For the last four years he has worked for

To what extent has he been disabled for manual labor thereby earning each year within your knowledge? Ans: almost

little work he did not earn more than half

the wages of a common day laboring man.

My means of knowing the facts of the case are these:

he appears to be quite lame and suffers much

The Commissioner of Pensions  
Washington D.C.

Very respectfully,

Lewis W. Dibble



# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Pennsylvania County of Potter

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In the matter of James Bradley

late of Co. F. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt Pa Vols.

ON THIS 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 1887, personally appeared before me, a

Justice of the peace in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths,  
Willis Nichols aged 48 years, a resident of Osways Township

in the County of Potter and State of Pennsylvania

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declares each for him-

self, in relation to aforesaid case, as follows: that he is personally acquainted

[NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gained a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

with the above named Applicant, was a member of the  
same Co. and Regt. with him in the late war. Applicant  
was Private in Co. F. 210<sup>th</sup> Pa Vols. and that he well remembers  
that while at Arlington Heights in the Spring of 1865 the  
said Applicant complained of being lame in lower limbs  
and said the Piles troubled him, he appeared quite feeble,  
he also complained at Camp Curtin while we lay  
there, up to the date of his discharge, he was away  
from the Company with the Pickens Corps for  
several months, prior to his complaining at Arlington  
Heights. up to the date of his joining the Pickens Corps he  
appeared to be a sound man, & when he returned he  
was quite lame and has been lame from that  
time up to this date, and always complained of being  
troubled with the Piles, and has had a hacking cough.

His Postoffice address Crystal Potter Co. Pa.

Affiant further declare that he has no interest in said case and is  
not concerned in its prosecution.

Willis Nichols  
[Signature of Affiants.]



STATE OF

*Pennsylvania*

COUNTY OF

*Pottsville*

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, including the words

erased, and the words

added

and acquainted *him* with its contents before *he* executed the same. I further

certify that I am in no wise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant

is personally known to me, and that *he is a* credible person.

*Certificate on file*

*Squire Estes*  
[Official Signature.]

[L. S.]

*Justice of the Peace*  
(Official Character)

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 188 .



Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CLAIM OF

*James Bradley*  
*Chas. Co. H. 210 Regt.*  
*Penn't Vols.*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Willis Nichols*

*FILED BY*  
*Mar 25-7, 1908*

FILED BY

*Amos B. Beebe*  
*Carways Pottsville Pa*



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State:

F.M., Ex'r.

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# Department of the Interior,

## BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D., C., July 19, 1887.

Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Bureau, BY INDORSEMENT ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community, and the general reputation for truth, of Wesley Nichols

of your vicinity, affiant in invalid pension claim No. 257,908, of James Bracey, of Co. F, 210 Reg't Pa. vol. Inf.

Your early reply will be thankfully received as substantial assistance to this Bureau in arriving at the truth and justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black,  
Commissioner.

Postmaster,

Chambers,

Penn. Co., Pa.



Crystal River Co Fla  
July 25<sup>th</sup> 1887

Interior Pension Department,

Mr Willis Nichols

lives nearly three miles below me towards  
Mill Port. Mr Barnes Postmaster at  
Mill Port can inform you better than I.

J. T. Rathbun  
P.M.

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## War Department,

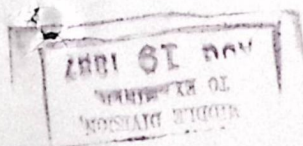
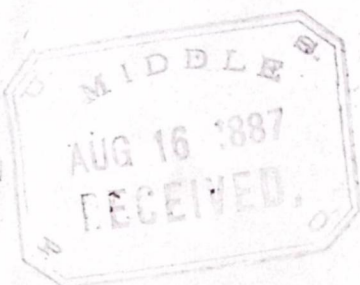
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Aug 16, 1887

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

Willis Nichols, a Private of Company "F",  
210<sup>th</sup> Regiment Penna. Volunteers, ~~was enrolled on the~~~~day of~~, 186, at  
and is reported: on Rolls for Jan. & Feb. '65 to April  
30'/65 present. Mustered Out with Co.  
at Alexandria Va. May 30'/65He is not reported absent on Return for  
March '65Station March 31'/65. In the field near Hatcher's  
Run Va. - April 30'/65 Camp Sargent Va.R. C. Sprun  
By Adjutant General  
W. E. Evans





*A. M.*

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Department of the Interior,  
PENSION OFFICE,

July 11, 1887.

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT  
GENERAL U. S. A. a report from the records of his  
Office as to the presence or absence, on or about  
Spring, 1865,  
of Willis Richards,  
of 210 Pa. Vol. Inf.

and the station, at that date, of the  
Command.

Claim No. 257,908.

James Bradley, of 210 Pa.  
Vol. Inf.  
John C. Black  
Commissioner.



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State of Pennsylvania County of Potter ss.  
In The Matter of The Original Invalid Pension  
Claim of James Bradley of Company F. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt.  
Penn't Vols. No 257,908.

On This 24<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1883. personally  
appeared before me a justice of the peace  
in and for the aforesaid County duly  
Authorized to administer Oaths, Carlos A.  
Pirrus Aged 60 years a resident of Allentown  
Alleghany Co. N.Y. whose Post Office address  
is Allentown Alleghany Co. N.Y. and well known  
to me to be reputable and entitled to credit  
and who being duly Sworn declares in  
relation to the aforesaid case as follows.  
That he is personally and well acquainted  
with the above named Applicant James  
Bradley and has been for the past 25 years  
and upward, and was a member of the same  
Company and Regt. with him in the late  
war, being Corporal in Company F. 210<sup>th</sup> Regt.  
Penn't Vols. and he well remembers that soon  
after the Weldon raid, in Feb. 1865, he complained  
of being attacked with Piles, and at the same  
time he contracted disease of the lungs.  
he had a bad cough from that time  
until discharged and we were discharged  
together and came home together. Said  
Applicant was quite feeble at that



time, he was not able to travel from the  
Camp to his home a distance of about Sixteen  
Miles, I have lived neighbor to him most  
of the time since his discharge, and he has  
had a cough ever since his discharge.  
After his Surrender, we started from  
Arlington Heights with the Company  
that is myself and said Applicant, and  
we soon fell out, we each had a pass  
to go as we choose, and we got along as best  
we could, we arrived at Arlington Heights  
about two days after the Regt. arrived.  
Said Applicant was sick from that time  
until he arrived home, in June 1865, and  
it is the Opinion of this Affiant that said Applicant  
has not been able to perform more than one  
half the labor of a sound man from the  
date of his discharge to the present time,  
in consequence of injuries he received while  
in said Service. Affiant further states  
that he is not related to said Applicant,  
and is not interested in this claim.

C. A. Pinner

State of Pennsylvania County of Potter ss.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this  
by the above named Affiant and I certify that  
I read said Affidavit to said Affiant and  
acquainted him with the contents before he  
executed the same, and that said Affiant  
is personally known to me, and that he  
is entitled to credit and that I am in nowise interested  
in said case or concerned in its prosecution.

A. S. Lyman

Justice of the Peace



time, he was not able to travel from the  
Carr to his home a distance of about Sixteen  
Miles, I have lived neighbor to him most  
of the time since his discharge, and he has  
had a cough ever since his discharge.  
After his surrender we started him

Additional Evidence  
Claim of  
James Bradley  
Capt of Co. F 210<sup>th</sup> Regt  
of Penna. Vols.

Affidavit of  
Charles A. James

No. 257, 908

Filed by

Samuel Butler  
Attorney

Quincy Potter Co.

J. A.





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*J.P.C.* Ex'r.

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State:

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Department of the Interior,  
PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C. *April 22, 1888*



Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Office, BY INDORSEMENT  
ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community,  
and the general reputation for truth, of *Charles*  
*H. Timineo*

of *your town*, affiant in *Original*  
pension claim No. *257408*, of *James Bradley*  
of Co. *F*, *110 Reg't* *Conn Vol*

Your early reply will be thankfully received as sub-  
stantial assistance to this Office in arriving at the truth  
and justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

*John C. Black,*  
Commissioner

*Postmaster*  
*Allentown*  
*N.Y.*



He left here a long time  
ago. His present P.O. Address  
is Oswego Pa.

Yours Truly  
R. A. Mills P.M.

Allentown N.Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

PENSION OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,



April 22-1886

J. H. P. Exr.  
Regt No 257. 908  
James Bradley  
Co. "F" 210 Regt Pa. Vols

Sir:

To further aid this Office in the adjudication of the above entitled pension claim in which you have testified to the origin of disabilities... of which there is no record in the War Department, please furnish a statement, in your own handwriting setting forth all the facts within your personal knowledge relating thereto. In your reply be as specific as possible in respect to date and describe as clearly as you are able to remember the nature of the disabilities... and state how claimant James Bradley was affected thereby. Your early answer endorsed upon the back of this letter will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black  
Commissioner.

Mr. Carlos A. Pimes  
Allentown  
N. Y.



Oswards, Va. May 2 1850

Hon. John C. Black Commissioner of Pensions  
Sir, in reply to the within inquiry can only restate  
what I have previously stated that after the  
Wilson Raid James Bradley complained of having  
the Piles which I think from his appearance was true  
never heard him complain of Piles up to that date  
and at about that date he took a severe cold had  
a very bad cough appeared to be settled on his lungs  
and he continued to cough from that time until  
discharged we were discharged at the same time  
came home together

and he was quite feeble was not able to travail  
but very little could not travail home from  
Wellsville, N.Y. a distance of 16 miles complained a  
great deal of Piles and shortness of breath and to  
all appearance

was in a bad condition and in my judgment  
he is in about the same condition and has been  
up to the present time

Very Respectfully

Carloss H. Pinner



War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, June 22<sup>d</sup>, 1886

#254908

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

Carlos A. Pinnes, a Corp'l. of Company "F",  
210<sup>th</sup> Regiment Pa. Volunteers, was enrolled on the

day of ~~186~~, at

and is reported on Roll for Jan'y & Feby.  
MP 65 Present.

End P.O.

Thomas Ward  
Assistant Adjutant General.  
J. J. [Signature]





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Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

*APR 23 1886*  
*April 23, 1886,*

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT  
GENERAL U. S. A. a report from the records of his  
Office as to the presence or absence, on or about

*February*, 1865,

of  
*Charles A. Pinneo*

*Co "F" 210 Pa Vol*

and the station, at that date, of the

Claim No. *257408*

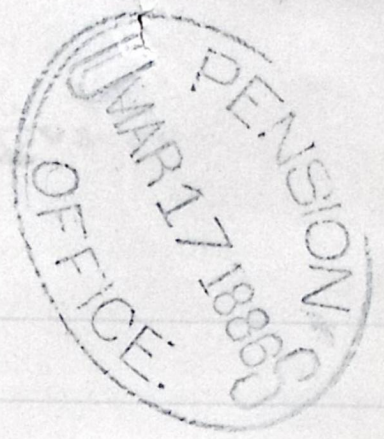
*James Bradley*  
*Co "F" 210 Pa Vol.*

*John C. Black*

Commissioner.



State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter ss.



In the Matter of The Original Invalid  
Pension Claim No. 257,908 of James Bradley  
late of Co. F. 210 P. A. Vols.

On this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1883, personally appeared  
before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the  
aforesaid County, duly Authorized to Administer  
Oaths, William Dexter aged 73 years a  
resident of Oswayo Potter County P. A. whose  
Post Office address is Oswayo Potter Co. P. A.  
and George Crouch aged 59 years a resident  
of Hobson Township Potter Co. P. A. whose Post  
Office address is Oswayo Potter Co. Penna.  
well known to me to be reputable and entitled  
to credit, and who, being duly sworn,  
declares in relation to the aforesaid claim  
as follows, that they have each known  
said Applicant for 28 years last past, that  
they considered him a sound man at the date  
of his enlistment. Soon after his return from  
said Service they often heard him complain  
of having Rheumatism in his back and knees,  
and at times appeared quite lame. William  
Dexter says that in the Summer of 1865 he and  
said Applicant worked together occasionally  
at farming and said Applicant complained  
of having the Piles. he <sup>would</sup> wait a while, and then



would lay down and groan, and appeared to be in great pain. And at that time said Applicant could not perform more than one half the labor of a sound man. The following winter he was complaining about the same. Only he appeared to be lame more so than in the summer. For the past 12 or 13 years he has not known as much about said Applicant. Has lived farther from him. about 4 or 5 miles from him and only see him occasionally and when he has met said Applicant he has had the appearance of having poor health and has appeared quite lame. And George Crouch says for himself. That he lives about two miles from said Applicant and has ever since his discharge and often sees him passing his house on his way to and from Oswayo Village and he has the appearance of having poor health and at times he appears quite lame, and he has often heard said Applicant complaining of the Piles. And in the Opinion of this Affiant from what he has observed of the physical condition of said Applicant from the date of his discharge to the present time he has not been able to perform more than one half the labor of a sound man. Affiants further declare that they have no interest in said case and are not concerned in its prosecution, and are in no wise related to said Applicant.

x Wm. Boster  
x George Crouch



State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter } ss.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me  
This day by the above named Affiants, and I  
certify that I read Said Affidavit to Said  
Affiants, and acquainted them with its  
contents before they executed the same, I  
further certify that I am in nowise interested  
in Said case nor am I concerned in its  
prosecution, and that Said Affiants are  
personally known to me, and that they are  
credible persons, and that my certificate  
of Official Character is on file in Pension Office  
for general purposes.

Spence Curtis  
Justice of the Peace



would lay down [redacted] roan, and appeared  
to be in great [redacted] at that time said  
[redacted]

Additional Evidence

belonging

James Bradley

late of Co. F 210<sup>th</sup> Regt

Fronts Vols.

Affidavits of

William Dextrin

George Branch

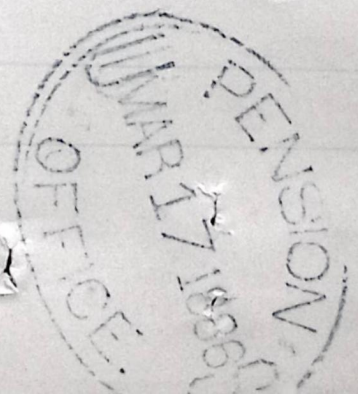
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Filed by

Samuel Butler

Careway & Potter, Cos.

W. A.





Invalid Pension Claim of  
James Bradley No. 257,908  
State of Pennsylvania }  
County of Potter } ss.

On This 12<sup>th</sup> day of February A.D.  
1879 - before me The Subscriber One of The  
Justices of the peace in and for The County  
of Potter and State aforesaid, personally  
appeared, H. H. Munson M.D. who being  
duly sworn according to law deposes  
and says that he is personally aqua-  
inted with James Bradley who was  
Private in Company "F" 210<sup>th</sup> Regt. Penna  
Vol. and was previous to his Enlisting  
in Said Service of The United States  
in The late War of A.D. 1861 - for The Suppression  
of The Rebellion and believed him to  
be a Sound Man, and free from  
Rheumatism, Piles, Heart & Lung disease  
deponent further states that he saw  
Said James Bradley when he was  
on his way home from Said U.S.  
Service sometime in May A.D. 1865.  
and he was then sick and was lame  
could hardly walk. I think he had  
The Rheumatism and his general health  
appeared very poor, have been his  
family Physician since his return from  
Said Service, but have not treated him  
much, but have often talked with him  
about his condition, and believe





That his disability has been continuous  
from the time of his return from said  
Service to the present time, depont  
further states, ~~states~~ That he resides  
at Oswayo Potter County Pa. and his  
Post Office is the same, and that he  
has no interest in this claim.

H H Morrison M/D

Sworn and subscribed before me the  
day and year first above written. and, I hereby  
certify that the affiant is a practicing phy-  
sician in good standing and entitled to  
credit, and that I have no interest directly or  
indirectly in this claim, and am not con-  
cerned in its prosecution.

A. Sidney Lyman  
Justice of the Peace.  
O K

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Reg. No. 257,908  
James Bradley  
Co. 4. 210 Regt. Pa. vol.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

PENSION OFFICE

WASHINGTON, D.



Sir:

Be kind enough to state, in your own handwriting, when and where you first saw the above mentioned soldier after his discharge from the service and to describe the nature of the disability, or disabilities with which he was suffering, and the symptoms of the same which his case then presented. By what disability and to what extent has he been disabled for manual labor during each year since? Your early answer, endorsed upon the back of this letter will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black.  
Commissioner.

Mr. Wm Dexter  
Osawayo  
Pa.





Oswayo Apr 28<sup>th</sup> 1886

To The Hon John L Black Commissioner

Dear Sir In answer to the within Request I would say that the first time I saw the within mentioned Soldier after his discharge was in 1865 in the mo of June or July I worked with him in Haying the same season Shortly after he came home He complained a considerable of Having the Piles at that time He worked at mowing by Hand (with a scythe and at times would Lay down & Roll & Lumber around & complain of Buttness Pain Proceeding from such cause I would farther say that the first time I saw him after his discharge was in the Township and Village of Oswayo his Place of Residence at that time & Before the War For Two or Three years after that he was Complaining considerable & That is as far as my knowledge of the case goes as he removed out of the Neighborhood about Eighteen years ago  
Yours Respectfully  
Wm Dexter

Oswayo Apr 28<sup>th</sup> 1886

To the Hon Commissioner of Pensions

Dear Sir The enclosed Reply to your Questions I wrote at my Fathers Request & Dictation as He is Bothered to see & It would have been (I think) Impossible for him to have wrote it himself

Yours Very Respectfully

James H Dexter





to the Honable Commisioner Hebern D. Co. Pa  
of Pensions

May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1886

Sir

In Compliance with your  
Request concerning James Bradley first - whom  
and ~~where~~ where I first saw him after his  
discharge the Date I donot Remember he was living  
at Osways then I sūpose it was there for I donot  
Remember seeing him any where else wheather he said any  
thing about his disabilities the first time I saw him I do not  
Remember but sence his return I have often herd him  
complaining of his Back and Kneee and also the Piles  
the Man Looks Bad how much Labor he has been able  
to do each year I cannot say because I donot know  
he will <sup>do</sup> what he can I have not seen him many times this last winter  
just from your Humble Servant George Crouch

to the Honable  
Commisioner of  
Pensions

My husband Could not write this with his  
own hand because he cannot Collect his  
thoughts now as he could before he was  
sick so Please Excuse your Humble  
Servant Mr. Geo Crouch



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PENSION OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,



April 22 1886.

Dear Sir:

Is kind enough to state, in your own handwriting, when and where you first saw the above mentioned soldier after his discharge from the service, and to describe the nature of the disability or disabilities with which he was suffering, and the symptoms of the same which his case then presented. By what disability and to what extent has he been disabled for manual labor during each year since? Your early answer endorsed upon the back of this letter will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black  
Commissioner.

Mr. George Crouch  
Oswayo Pa.



*Med* Div.  
*J. J. O.* Ex'r.

[3-083.]

State:

*Penn*

# Department of the Interior.

## PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., *April*



Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Office, BY INDORSEMENT  
ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community,  
and the general reputation for truth, of *George*  
*Crouch* and *William Dexter*  
of *your town*, affiants in Original  
pension claim No. *25798*, of *James Bradley*,  
of Co. *"F"*, *210* Reg't *Penn* Vol.

Your early reply will be thankfully received as sub-  
stantial assistance to this Office in arriving at the truth  
and justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

*John C. Black,*  
Commissioner

*Postmaster*  
*Asbury*

*P.*



Oswayo Penna  
April 28th 1886

John C Black

Dear Sir

George Crouch  
& William Dexter are general called  
as Truthful & honest men as we  
have in our tower

Yours Respc

A W Cornin P M

Oswayo  
Penna  
P E

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State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter } ss.

On this 12<sup>th</sup> day of February, A.D.  
1879, before me the Subscriber One of the  
Justices of the peace in and for the County  
of Potter and State aforesaid, personally  
appeared W. H. Turner M.D., who, being  
by me duly sworn according to law  
deposes and says in relation to the foregoing  
claim, that he is personally acquainted  
with James, Bradley who was Private  
of Company "F", 210<sup>th</sup> Regt., Pennsylvania Vol.,  
in the late War of A.D. 1861 for the suppression  
of the Rebellion, and was prior to his  
enlisting in said service, and was  
his family Physician, and believes  
that he was a sound able bodied man.  
Saw him shortly after his return from  
said service, and found him suffering  
from Rheumatism, Blind & Bleeding Piles,  
and one of his lungs considered was  
greatly affected, and have treated  
him for the same from time to time  
from the date of his discharge in May  
A.D. 1865 - up to the present time, deponent  
further states that he cannot give the  
dates of treatment, but he has been his  
family Physician and has often visited  
in his family, and sees him often,





and believes his disability still exists  
and is not prolonged by intemperance  
or other bad habits, and that he resides  
at Osways Potter County Pennsylvania  
and that his Post Office address is the same,  
and that he has no interest in this claim.  
W. H. Turner M.D.

Sworn and subscribed before me the day  
and year first above written, and I  
hereby certify that the affiant is a practicing  
physician in good standing and entitled to  
credit, and that I have no interest directly or  
indirectly in this claim, and am not concerned  
in its prosecution.

A. Sidney Lymann  
Justice of the Peace.

Pennsylvania  
Potter County S.D.

I O. H. Crosby Prothonotary of the Court  
of Common Pleas of said County do  
hereby certify that A. Sidney Lymann  
Esq. is an acting Justice of the Peace in  
and for said County duly qualified, his  
Commission being dated Feb 27. 1876 and will expire  
Feb 27. 1881 and that his signature above written is  
genuine.

Witness my hand and the seal of said office  
at Conduessport this 19 day of March A.D. 1878

O. H. Crosby Prothonotary

Wm. L. Lymann  
Mar 1865



# PHYSICIAN'S AFFIDAVIT.

TAKE NOTICE.—The affidavit should, if possible, be in the handwriting of the affiant; the marginal instructions must be carefully observed before writing out the statement. All the facts in possession of affiant as to the origin and continuance of the disability should be fully set forth, and the dates of treatment should be specifically given. If the affidavit is prepared from memoranda in possession of the physician, that fact should be stated.

State of Pennsylvania, County of Potter ss:

In the Pension Claim No. 257,908

of James Bradley late of

Co. H Regt. Pa. Vols

(Company and Regiment of service, if in the army; or vessel and rank if in the navy.)

Personally came before me, a Justice of the peace in and for the aforesaid

County and State W. H. Durnum M.D. a citizen of Oswayo Potter Co. Pa.

whose Post Office address is Oswayo Potter Co. Pa.

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That he is a Practicing Physician, and that he has been acquainted with said soldier for about 30 years, and that

he has been his family physician for the  
(Here embody all the facts known to the affiant in accordance with the marginal instructions. No erasures or interlinings will be permitted unless the magistrate certifies in his jurat that they were made before executing the paper.)

past 30 years. And that he has treated

Said Applicant for Rheumatism and

Piles. and disease of the lungs. Occasionally

from the date of his discharge in 1865

up to some time last winter but he

is unable to give dates of all treatment

for the reason that his treatment was

not kept separate from other members

of his family. At times he has been quite

hampered with Rheumatism in lower limbs!

his Piles are quite bad at times; are blind bleeding

Piles, his Lungs are in a bad condition

has a hacking Cough almost constantly

and he is unable to perform but very

little labor; not more than 1/4 the labor

of a sound man, and at times he is wholly

unfit to perform any kind of labor.

## NOTES.

The Physician's Affidavit must show the following facts:

1st. Whether or not he knew the soldier prior to enlistment; the length of time he has known him now intimately and what opportunities he has had of observing his physical condition, whether as his family physician or as a neighbor; and how near he has lived to him. If he knew that the soldier was a sound man at enlistment, he should so state, adding, if true, that had he been unsound, he would have known it.

2d. If he treated claimant while in the service either as a regimental surgeon or while claimant was home on furlough, that fact should be stated. The claimant's physical condition at such times should be clearly shown, as well as the NATURE OF HIS DISABILITY and dates of treatment.

3d. If he has treated soldier since discharge he should so state, giving the date of his first treatment; what his physical condition was at the time, with complete diagnosis of the disability; the period during which he treated him should be stated, with dates, as near as possible, of the prescriptions.

4th. The extent or degree to which claimant has been unable to perform manual labor during each year from discharge to the present time.



He further declares that he has been a practitioner of medicine for 21 years, and that he has no interest either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

W. H. Turner M.D.  
[Affiant's Signature. Give rank and service, if in the army.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June A. D. 1887

and I hereby certify that the affiant is a practicing physician in good professional standing; that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known to him before swearing, including the words  
erased and the words

added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Squire Estes  
[Official Signature.]

[L. S.]

Justice of the Peace  
[Official Character.]

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE,

AFFIDAVIT OF

W. H. Turner M.D.

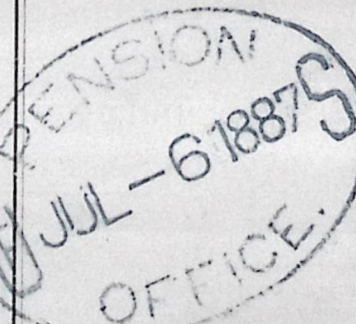
CLAIM OF

James Bradley

No. 257,908

for

Original Invalid's Pension



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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
PENSION OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.,



April 11 1896

Sir:

In reference to your testimony on file in the above entitled pension claim, will you kindly furnish this office with a more circumstantial history of claimant's disability on account of rheumatism, piles and lung disease than is embodied in your affidavit. Please state the date of your first treatment of claimant; the period of time he was under your observation or professional care; and to what extent during said period he was, in your judgment, incapacitated for the performance of manual labor by reason of said disability. Your early answer will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black  
Commissioner.

Dr W. H. Turner

Oswego

Ill.



Hon John G Black

Sir Commissioner of Pensions

In reply to the written say that the  
written named applicant James Bradley  
has been suffering from Rheumatism and  
Disease of the lungs and he has complained of  
being troubled with the piles ever since  
his discharge from the War Service he has  
had attacks any but almost constantly  
and been quite lame at times Wholly laid up  
he is not able to perform more than  $\frac{1}{4}$  the  
labor of a sound man and a quite portion of  
the time not able to do any kind of labor

Very Respectfully

Er W H Turner

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State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter ss.

In the matter of Original Pension No. 257,908  
of James Bradley late of Co. F 210<sup>th</sup> Regt Pa Vols.

On this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June A.D. 1887, personally  
appeared before me a justice of the peace,  
in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized  
to administer oaths, Isaac Whittum aged 64  
years a resident of Hebron Township Potter Co.,  
Pa. whose P.O. address is East Hebron Potter Co., Pa.,  
well known to me to be reputable and entitled  
to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares  
in relation to the aforesaid case as follows;  
That he has known Applicant for the past  
22 years and have lived near him during that  
time; saw him when he returned home from  
the Service in June of 1865, at that time he appeared  
quite feeble and was quite lame in his lower  
limbs; and his lungs appear to be greatly affected  
had a hacking cough; and for the past 17 or 18  
years he has complained of being troubled a  
great deal of the time with the Piles; and during  
all this time he has not been able to perform  
manual labor to any extent has done some light  
choring; the first two years after discharge he  
could not labor for the first two years and  
a half after his discharge he lived within about  
40 rods of him, and saw him often  
Affiant further states that he has no interest  
in this claim and is not related to Applicant  
Isaac Whittum



State of Pennsylvania  
County of Potter SS,

Sworn and Subscribed before me this day  
by the above named Affiant.  
And I certify that I have no interest in this  
Claim and am not concerned in its  
prosecution. And that my Certificate  
of Official Character is on file in Pension  
Department for general purposes  
Square City  
Justice of the Peace



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Additional Evidence  
Claiming

James Bradley  
Vol of Co. F 210th Regt  
Penn't Vols

Affidavit of  
Isaac Whithum

No. 257,908

Filed by  
Samuel Becker  
Sawyer Potter Co.  
Pa.



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State:

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JUL 29 1887  
ADJUTANT GENERAL  
TO EXAMINE

Department of the Interior,  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., May 11, 1887.

Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Bureau, BY INDORSEMENT  
ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community,  
and the general reputation for truth, of Isaac Weisman

of your vicinity, affiant in invalid  
pension claim No. 257,908, of James Bracey,  
of Co F, 210 Reg't. Pa. vol. Inf.

Your early reply will be thankfully received as sub-  
stantial assistance to this Bureau in arriving at the truth  
and justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black,  
Commissioner

Postmaster,

East Lebanon,

Polk Co., Pa.



East. Hebrew - July 20<sup>th</sup> 1887

In regards to  
Inquiry of Isaac Whittier. would say  
that he is perfectly reliable as to  
Truth and Reputation. Is good

John Schollard: P/M

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Ind. 11. 257,908,  
James Bravery,  
Co. F 210 Regt. Pa. Vol. Inf.

July 21 1887

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.,



July 11, 1887

Sir:

To further aid this Office in determining the merits of the claim above entitled, be kind enough to answer in your own handwriting the following questions, giving more complete details than your affidavit on file affords.

Trase William, Esp.  
East 1st Iron,  
Potters Co., Pa

Very respectfully,  
John C. Mack  
Commissioner.

When did you first see James Bravery after  
he returned from the army, and how do you fix the date?  
Ans: Saw him the day he got home June 15  
Was he then suffering from any disability? on or about that day  
Ans: yes, nerves and lungs very bad  
Of what did he complain, and how was he affected?  
Ans: he complained he was very lame  
How frequently have you seen him since your first acquaint-  
ance? Ans: Ever since he got home  
Has he continued to suffer with such disability? Male  
Ans: Yes, I saw him last week  
To what extent has he been disabled for manual labor there-  
by during each year within your knowledge?  
Ans: he got around with good  
My means of knowing the facts of the case are these: nothing

When he returned from the army  
was that place and saw him then  
Very respectfully,

The Commissioner of Pensions  
Washington, D.C.

(sign here)

and when him ever saw  
he lives about 2 1/4 miles from  
the Iron Works



I never saw him but he  
was complaining with the  
rheumets and back and  
aches sex him 15 or 20 times  
a year

Say he is good for  
nothing as manual labor  
I saw Mr. Thorne



W. H. Turner,  
m. s. good

Ozweg  
Pain Co.,  
Pa.

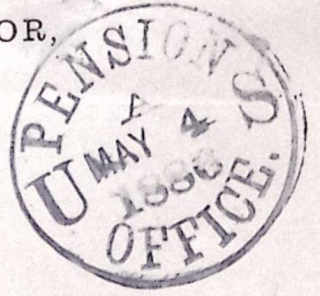
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

PENSION OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.,



Mid. Div.  
J. F. O. Ex.  
Orig No. 257908  
James Bradley  
Co. "F" 210 Regt. Pa. Vols.

April 22 <sup>1886</sup>

Sir:

If you have knowledge that the above named soldier contracted any disabilities while in the U. S. service, a statement as to the nature of such disabilities when and where contracted and the circumstances which enable you to remember the same, on the reverse side of this letter, will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black  
Commissioner.

D. R. R. McCandless  
Emporia  
Kans.



Empire Rev  
Apr 29/86

I may have treated  
Said Soldier in Division  
Hospital but passing up  
record of that Hospital I  
can not remember  
Yours truly  
J. R. McKindley



IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICANT.

No. of Application, 257908State: Pennsylvania County: Polk  
Post Office: Coaldersport Feb 3, 1879.

I hereby certify, That I have carefully examined  
James Bradley, late a Private  
 Co. H, 210 Reg't, P. A. Cal  
 in the service of the United States, who is an APPLICANT for an  
 invalid pension by reason of alleged disability resulting from Rheumatism  
Blind & bleeding Piles: Heart & lung diseases

In my opinion the said James Bradley  
 is sixteen dollars per month incapacitated for obtaining his subsistence  
 by manual labor from the cause above stated.

Judging from his present condition, and from the evidence before  
 me, it is my belief that the said disability did originate  
 in the service aforesaid in the line of duty.

The disability is Permanent

A more particular description of the applicant's condition is  
 subjoined:

Height, 5-8; weight, 130; complexion, Light;  
 age, 34; pulse, 76; respiration, 17  
 I find this man suffering from disease of the heart and lungs, of  
 a sympathetic character with a severe pain in the heart and lungs  
 resulting from a severe spinal irritation, there seems  
 to be no organic disease of the heart or lungs, but the irritation  
 and pain seems to be reflected from the spine. The distance  
 between the shoulders are all enlarged and exceedingly tender  
 causing severe pain on the least pressure, he can do nothing  
 but lift clothes, if he attempts to chop or any thing that jars the  
 shoulders or spine his arms grow numb and crawl at that he  
 will do any thing he has in his hands fall. The degree from  
 this cannot be estimated, he is total. He also has Piles, the tumors  
 are internal, small they are quite large and then they appear  
 at the edge of the anus and then they will separate and bleed  
 and then he will be better for a few weeks, the degree  
 from this cause should be one half. He also has severe rheu-  
 matism, with pain through the hips and down the limbs  
 causing him severe pain all the time, degree from this can-  
 not be estimated. This man (offering) that he has never been free from  
 pain since he left the Army, and what little work he has done has  
 been kept from stopping. I believe this man tells the truth, in  
 regard to his Army in several parts. The degree from  
 his former disabilities are twice stated, entitling him  
 to sixteen dollars per month

O. F. E. Mason

Examining Surgeon.



1 SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE 1

IN CASE OF

*Almus Bradley*  
Co. *H*, *210* Reg't, *P. A. Co.*

APPLICATION FOR PENSION.

No. *237,908*

DATE OF EXAMINATION,

*Feb 5<sup>th</sup> 1879*

*O. H. Ellison*

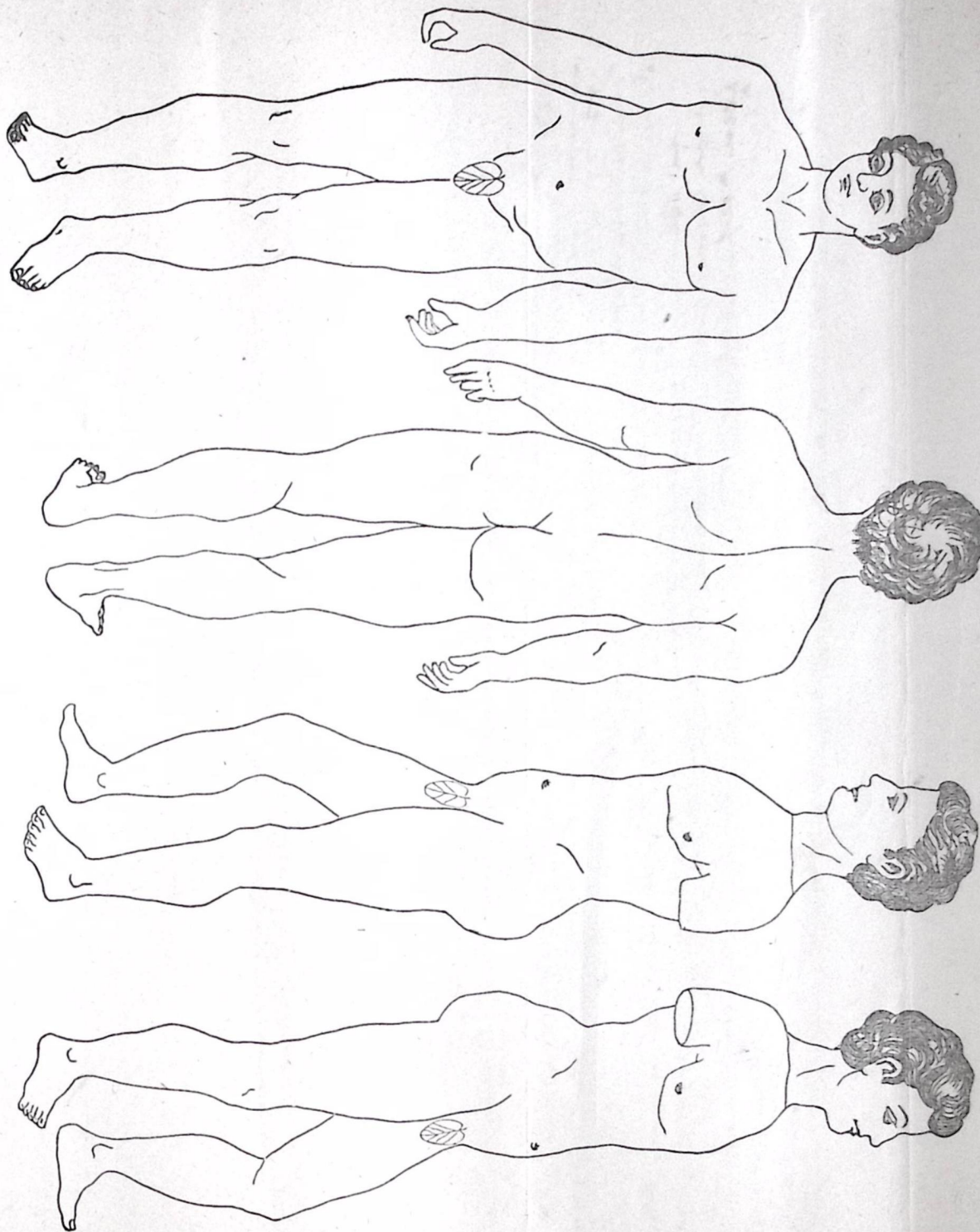
Examining Surgeon.

Post Office, *Coudersport*

County, *Potter*

State, *Pennsylvania*

P. S.—Write Post Office address plain and in full.





## EXAMINING SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICANT.

No. 254908

Name of claimant, James Bradley

Rank, Private

Company, F

Regiment, 210

State, Pa

EXAMINING SURGEON'S ADDRESS:

Post office, Smithport

County, McKean

State, Pa

Date of examination, Dec 65, 1887

I hereby certify That I have carefully examined this applicant, who claims that while in the service of the United States, at or near a place named — — — — —, and while in line of duty,

Cause of disability and the degree.

on or about the same day of some month, 1864, he incurred Rheumatism, blood and bleeding piles, heart and lung disease, and that in consequence thereof he is now disabled for earning his subsistence by manual labor.

Particular description.

He states that he is 59 years of age, that he weighs 145 pounds, and that he is 5 feet 8 1/2 inches in height.

His pulse-rate per minute is 75, his respiration 20, and his temperature 98 1/2 F.

Give the rational and physical signs so fully that how and why the claimant is disabled shall clearly appear. When there are neither structural changes nor physical nor rational signs in support of the claim, that fact should be stated. Thereafter should be made in compliance with the "Instructions."

The examination reveals the following facts:

Physician says that Rheumatism began while in the service in the year 1864, and has troubled him more or less ever since, in hips and shoulders and back &c. I see he has organic effects of Rheumatism, such as enlarged joints, leaving no doubt in my mind as to his being a subject of the Rheumatic diathesis. In my judgment he is the subject of slight Cardiac atrophy. No valvular imperfections discoverable. I can not say what the disability is from this heart trouble. He does not put much stress on his trouble from this source. The Rheumatic trouble in his limbs and back &c, I suppose disable him to some extent. The disability will probably be approximated by considering it equal to that consequent on ankylosis of elbow. I see he is very much troubled with piles. It is a very bad instance of piles, there being a great many hemorrhoidal tumors near verge of anus, and on inside also. He says they frequently bleed, and I have no doubt of it. The disability from this trouble must be at least equal to 3/4 that consequent on ankylosis of elbow. There is every possible evidence that at some time an extensive deposit of tubercles took place in left lung and there is no doubt that he is the subject of tubercular deposit to a certain extent, at present. His left lung is very much shrunken or contracted and its respiratory surface correspondingly. He coughs very much as nearly as I can discern. He seems to be generally broken down, and unfit for manual labor. I can hardly say what the disability from his lung trouble is, but it must be considerable. The disability must be about 1/2 of 2d grade at least. He seems to be the subject of extreme ankylosis of the spine, especially along lower of spine process. I am not positive that a great deal of this is not affected.

It must be borne in mind that the duty of the Surgeon is to give an opinion as to the proportionate degree of disability, as 1/4, 1/2, total, &c., through the grades, without any regard to dollars and cents, and to make such a full particular description as will afford to this Office the ground for intelligent opinion and action in rating.

From the condition and history of the claimant, it is my opinion the disability was as described above incurred in the service as claimed, and that it is not aggravated or protracted by vicious habits.

I find the disability as above described to entitle him to a rating in accordance with above consideration

E. J. Brown  
Examining Surgeon.

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## SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

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IN CASE OF

*James Bradley*  
 Co. *A*, 210 Reg't *Pavils*

## Application for Pension

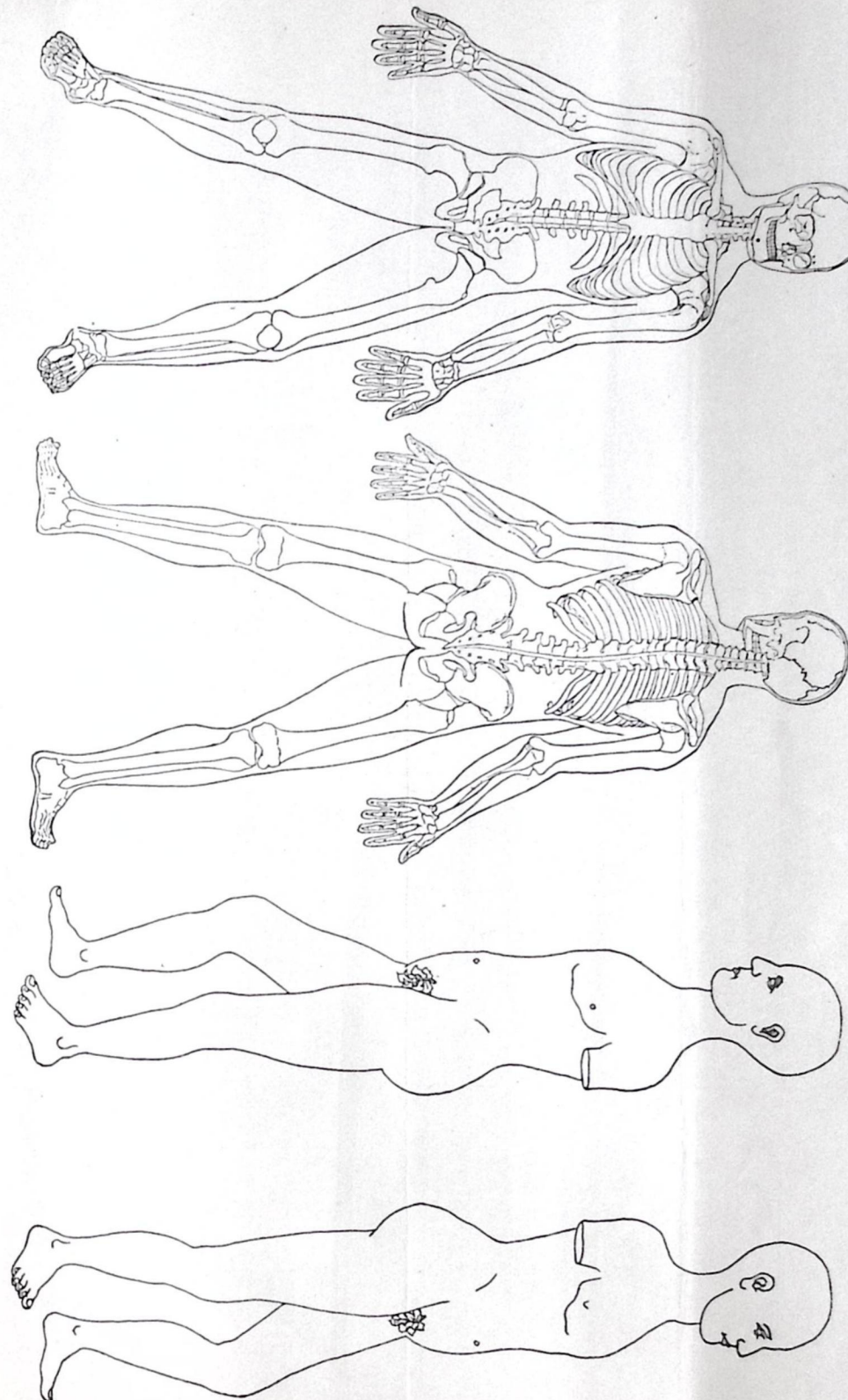
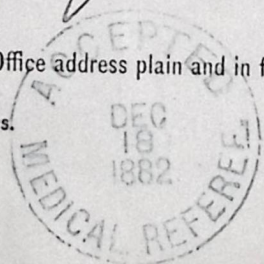
No. *252908*Date of Examination: *Dec 6<sup>th</sup> 82**E. Q. Brown*

Examining Surgeon.

Post Office, *Smithport*County, *McKean*State, *Pennsylvania*

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# EXAMINING SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

### IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICANT.

No. 257 908

Name of claimant, James Bradley

Rank, Private

Company, \_\_\_\_\_

Regiment, 210

State, Penn'a Vol

**EXAMINING SURGEON'S ADDRESS:**

Post office, Wellsborough

County, Lioque

State, Pennsylvania

Date of examination, April 4, 1883.

We hereby certify That we have carefully examined this applicant, who claims that while in the service of the United States, at or near a place named Five Forks Va, and while in line of duty,

on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, 1865, he incurred  
~~retinue~~ blind & bleeding piles heart & lung <sup>disease</sup>, and that  
 in consequence thereof he is total disabled for earning his subsistence by manual labor.

Cause of disability and the degree.

Particular description,

He states that he is 60 years of age, that he weighs 145 pounds, and that he is 5 feet 8 $\frac{1}{2}$  inches in height.

His pulse-rate per minute is 60, his respiration 18, and his temperature 97.5.

Give the rational and physical signs so fully that *how* and *why* and *how much* the claimant is disabled shall clearly appear. When there are neither structural changes nor physical nor rational signs in support of the claim, that fact should be stated. Thereating should be made in compliance with the "Instructions."

The examination reveals the following facts:

The find slight <sup>Bony</sup> enlargement on inner condyle of femur & head of tibia of both knees causing slight impairment of motion of the joints. Find slightly impaired motion of both shoulder joints but no thickening of ligaments.

Find undue resonance upon percussions,  
apparent tenderness, & deficient chest  
pulsation over precordial region; find  
action of heart irregular intermittent  
and weak; find sounds of heart indistinct  
— especially the first sound. Disability  $\frac{7}{8}$

Find one hemorrhoidal tumor, external,  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter; & one internal same size; find mucous membrane of rectum thickened & indurated. Disability  $\frac{1}{8}$

We find no disease of the lungs.

It must be borne in mind that the duty of the Surgeon is to give an opinion as to the proportionate degree of disability, as  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , total, &c., through the grades, *without any regard to dollars and cents*, and to make such a full particular description as will afford to this Office the ground for intelligent opinion and action in rating.

From the condition and history of the claimant, it is our opinion the disability was \_\_\_\_\_ incurred in the service as claimed, and that it is not aggravated or protracted by vicious habits.

\_\_\_\_\_ We find the disability as above described to entitle him to Total  
rating. Daniel Bacon Resident at \_\_\_\_\_

C. H. Thompson Sec.  
Examining Surgeon.

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## SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

*James Bradley*  
 Co. *F*, *210* Reg't *Pa Vol's*

## Application for Pension

No. *257,928*

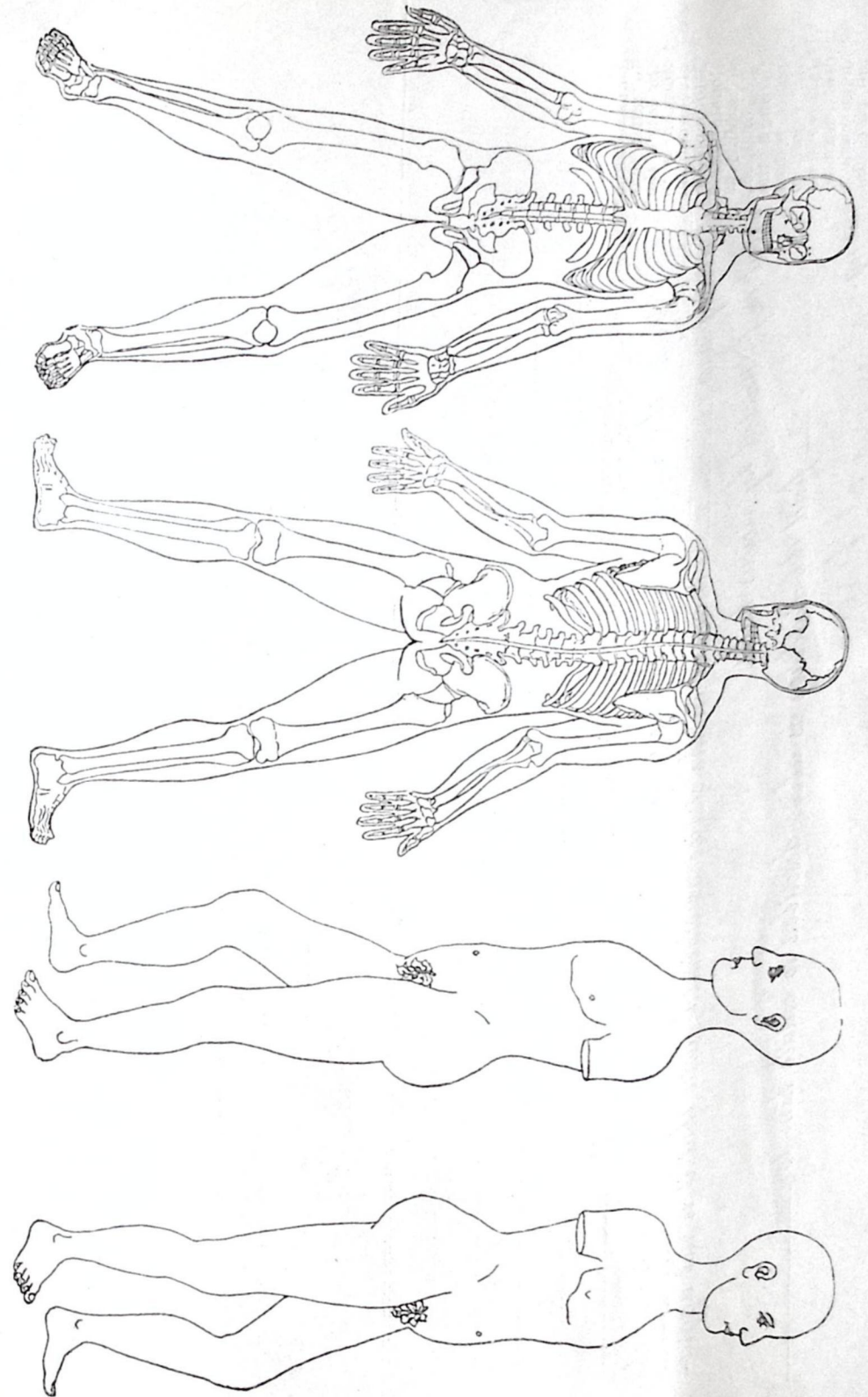
Date of Examination: \_\_\_\_\_

*April 4<sup>th</sup> 1883*

*C. K. Thompson* <sup>See,</sup>  
 Examining Surgeon.

Post Office, *Wellsboro*County, *Yoga*State, *Penn'a.*

P. S.—Write Post Office address plain and in full.





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The absence of a member from a session of a board and the reason therefor, if known, and the name of the absentee, must be indorsed upon each certificate.

Insert character and number of claim.

Original

Pension Claim No. 257,908

Name and rank of claimant.

James Bradley

, Rank, Private

Company 4, 210 Reg't Pa. Vols

Wellsboro Tioga Co. Pa. State,

Claimant's post office address.

Oswayo Potter Co. Pa.

(Post office address of the Board.)

May 12, 1886.

(Date of examination.)

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law\* we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred in the service, viz:

Cause of disability.

Rheumatism, Piles, & disease of heart & lungs.

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars per month.

Pulse rate per minute, 72; respiration, 18; temperature, 98.5°; height, 5 feet 8.5 inches; weight, 140 pounds; age, 63 years.

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for † Orig.  
Says he got all the above diseases in the Army. Has rheumatism in his knees mostly; & his flesh is sore all over him. His piles are very sore & sometimes ulcerate, & have a discharge of matter. Has cough nearly all the time, & raises thick yellow matter, and sometimes a little dark colored blood.

Here give a full symptom picture of the case, embracing all the physical and rational signs, but confining it to the present condition of the claimant.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions:  
We find no impaired motion, tenderness or enlargement of any joints; & find sounds & action of the heart normal.  
Find asthmatic breathing; moist bronchial rales in both lungs, but more in the right; vesicular murmur somewhat deficient in both, & obscured by the bronchial sounds; both lungs resonant from percussion; chest expansion 36-38 inches. Find one Pile, external, 1/2 inch base & 3 internal, 3/4 inch, blue, tender, & slightly ulcerated.

It must be borne in mind that the duty of the Surgeon is to give an opinion as to the proportionate degree of disability, as 1, 1/2, total, &c., through the grades, without any regard to dollars and cents, and to make such a full particular description as will afford to this Office the ground for intelligent opinion and action in rating.

Rate for each cause of disability. If prolonged by vicious habits, the word not should be erased and the reason for the erasure given.

From the existing condition and the history of this claimant, as stated by himself, it is, in our judgment, \_\_\_\_\_ probable that the disability was incurred in the service as he claims, and that it has not been prolonged or aggravated by vicious habits. He is, in our opinion, entitled to a \_\_\_\_\_ rating for the disability caused by Rheumatism & heart, 3/4 for that caused by Piles, and 1/2 caused by Dis of lungs.

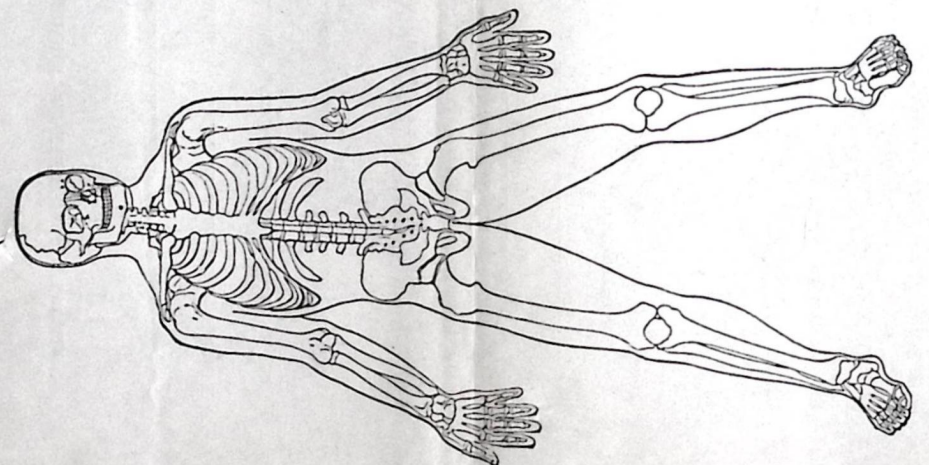
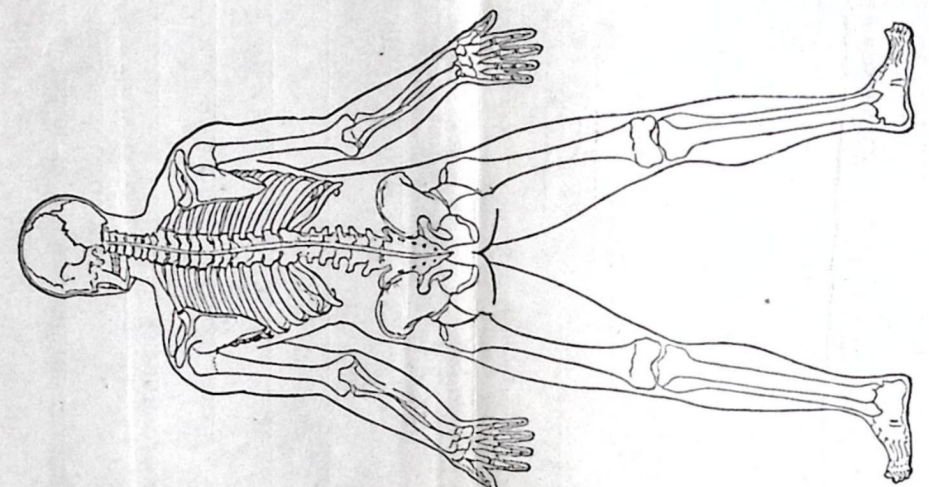
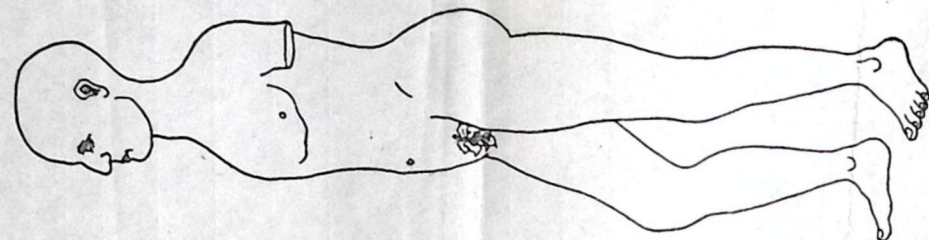
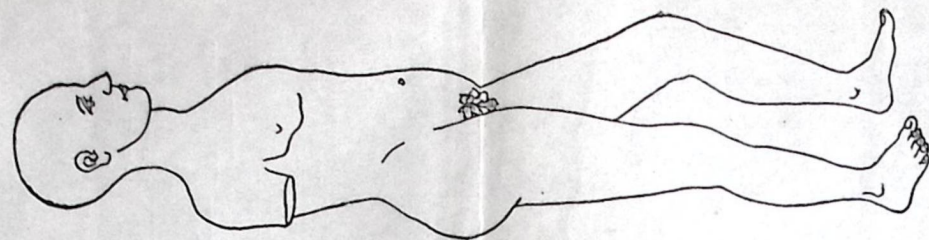
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W. A. Brown, Pres. S. H. Thompson, Sec'y. W. W. Wood, Treas.

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## SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

*James Bradley*  
Co. *4*, *210* Reg't *Pa. Vols.*

Applicant for *Orig.*

No. *257,908*

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

*May 12*, 1886.

*M. L. Bacon*, Pres.,  
*E. K. Thompson*, Sec'y,  
*W. W. Webb*, Treas., } BOARD.

Post office, *Wellston*

County, *Yoga*

State, *Penn'a*

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Insert character and number of claim.

*Dis.*

Pension Claim No. *374.825*

Name and rank of claimant.

*James Bradley*

, Rank, *Pl.*

Company *A*, *210* Reg't *Pa. Vol. Inf.*

*Candrusport Pa*

State,

Claimant's post office address.

*Osways Pa.*

(Post office address of the Board.)

*Apr. 24*

(Date of examination.)

, 188*9*.

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law\* we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred in the service, viz:

Cause of disability.

*Rheumatism & disease of chest. Piles.*

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of *Eight* dollars per month.

Pulse rate per minute, *65*; respiration, *22*; temperature, *98 1/2*; height, *5* feet *7 1/2* inches; weight, *140* pounds; age, *66* years.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for† *Dis.*

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

*My bowels come down when I attempt to work hard. I have pains in different parts of the body, which changes from one part to another. I have a good deal of pain in my chest and have coughed ever since I came out of the army.*

Here give a full symptom picture of the case, embracing all the physical and rational signs, but confining it to the present condition of the claimant.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: *We find all the hemorrhoidal vessels enlarged, and many small tumors about the sphincter, and one large tumor within the sphincter the size of a robbins egg. We find very distinct emphysema in left knee joint with slight emphysema in right. Great tenderness along sciatic nerve on left thigh. We find an emphysema & chronic bronchitis of lungs.*

It must be borne in mind that the duty of the Surgeon is to give an opinion as to the proportionate degree of disability, as 1, 1/2, total, &c., through the grades, without any regard to dollars and cents, and to make such a full particular description as will afford to this Office the ground for intelligent opinion and action in rating.

*Other organs normal*

From the existing condition and the history of this claimant, as stated by himself, it is, in our judgment, probable that the disability was incurred in the service as he claims, and that it has not been prolonged or aggravated by vicious habits. He is, in our opinion, entitled to a *4/15*

Rate for each cause of disability.

If prolonged by vicious habits, the word not should be erased and the reason for the erasure given.

rating for the disability caused by *Piles*, *6/15* for that caused by *Rheumatism*, and *6/15* caused by *Dis. of chest.*

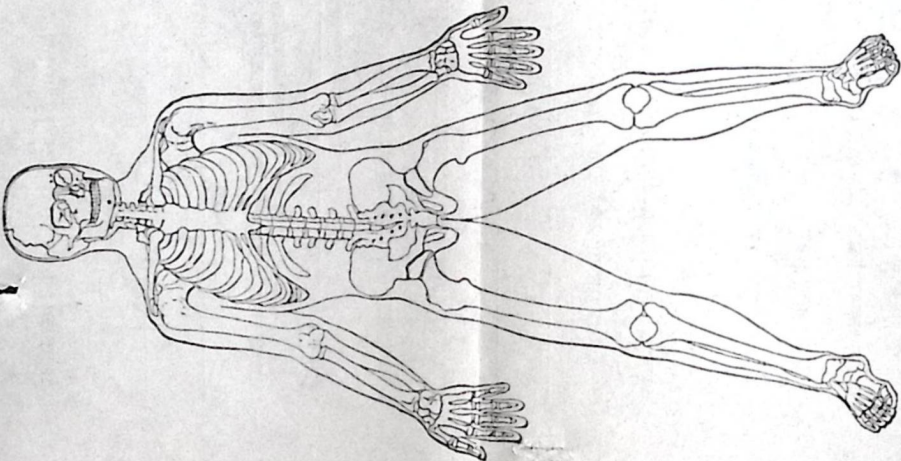
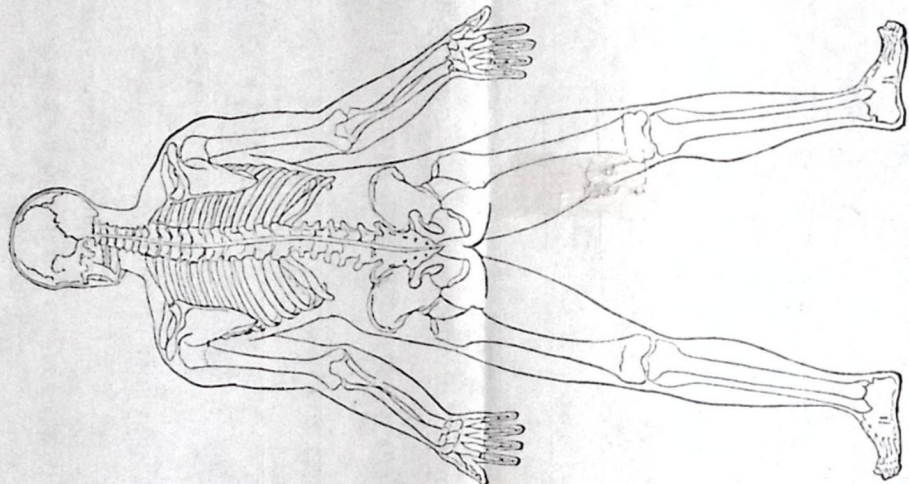
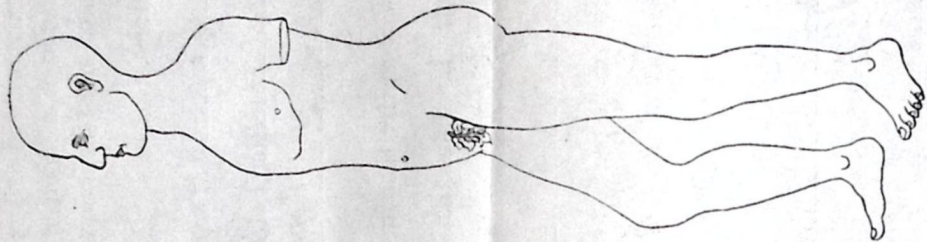
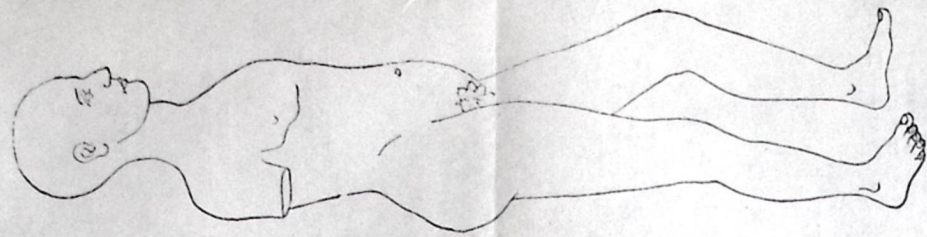
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*Frank Bush*, Pres. *C. H. Sheraft*, Sec'y. *C. S. Bush*, Treas.

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## SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

*James Bradley*  
Co. *F.*, 210 Reg't Pa. Vol. Inf.

Applicant for *Dis.*

No. *374,820*

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

*Apr. 24*, 188*9*.

*Frank Buch*, Pres.,  
*E. H. Shraft*, Sec'y,  
*C. S. French*, Treas., } BOARD.

Post office, *Condrusport*

County, *Pott*

State, *Pa.*

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PROVIDED FURTHER, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [Extract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.]

*ALJ*



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Insert character and number of claim.

[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Pension Claim No. 374.823

Name and rank of claimant.

James Bradley,

Rank, Pl.

Company B, 210. Reg't P. Val. Inf.

Coudersport Pa.

State,

Claimant's post-office address.

Oswayo Pa.

[Post-office address of the Board.]

Jan. 21

[Date of examination.]

189/.

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred

Cause of disability.

in the service, viz:

Reum. Rheumatism & disease of chest.

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of

\$12.—

dollars per month.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for

Inc.

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

My pills come down and pain me when I lift. The rheumatism works all over me, and goes in my joints. I have pain in my chest, and which is a good deal worse when wind is in the south. I can do no hard work. Cannot live on left side.

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with pars. 5, 6, 51, 52, &c., of Book of Instructions for 1889

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 76.; respiration, 24; temperature, 98; height, 5 feet 7 inches; weight, 133 pounds; age, 67 years. Throat engorged, oral uterine tumors and 3 or more inside in sight, each the size of hazel-nuts. R. thigh 2 inches largest at middle third. R. calf 1/2 inch largest. L. knee 1/2 inch largest with emphysema. Marked crepitus both shoulder joints & L. wrist with enlargement of all joints. Hypertrophy of spleen. Comparative circumference of chest in forced inspiration & expiration show 2 1/2 inches (scapula). Some bronchial & mucous rales along bronchial tract with slight dulness on percussion.

Other organs normal

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

rating for the disability caused by

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a

4/15

by Rheumatism, and

6/8

for that caused

chest.

2/18

dis.

Spleen.

for that caused by Dis.

Pres.

E. H. Ashcroft, Sec'y.

E. S. Matton, Treas.

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# SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

*James Bradley,*  
Co. *F.*, 210, Reg't *P.*, Inf.

Applicant for *Dis.*

No. *374.825*

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

*Jan. 21*, 1891.

*E. H. Ashcroft*, Pres.,  
*E. S. Matheson*, Sec'y,  
*E. S. Matheson*, Treas.,

BOARD.

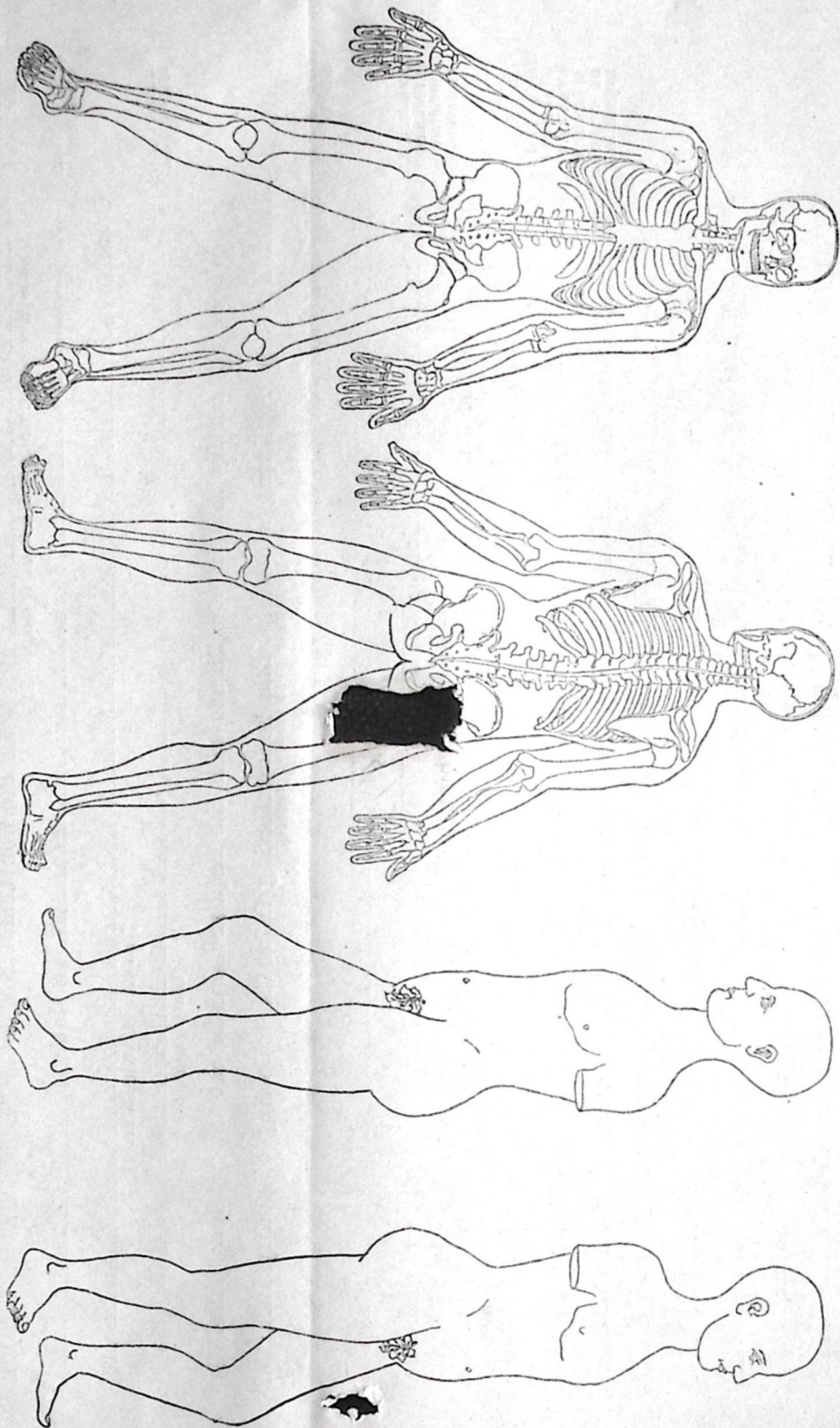
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County, *Patter*

State, *Pa.*

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Provided further, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [Ex- tract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.]



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Insert character and number of claim.

*Ins.*

Pension Claim No. *374,825*

Name and rank of claimant.

*James Bradley*

Rank, *Pl.*

Claimant's post-office address.

Company *A*, *210* Reg't *Pa. Vol. Inf.*

*Coudersport Pa.* State,

[Post-office address of the Board.]

*Coudersport Pa.*

*July 20*

[Date of examination.]

*1892*

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred in the service, viz: *Piles, rheumatism & dis. of chest.*

Cause of disability.

If pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of *\$12* dollars per month.

He makes the following statement which he bases his claim for *Ins.*

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

*About once a month I have gatherings and it brags, which lays me up from one to 3 days each time. My knees are lame, enlarged, & weak. I am short of breath & have flutterings. have some pain in chest. I spit blood about once a week.*

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, *68*; respiration, *24*; temperature, *98.4*; height, *5* feet *7 1/2* inches; weight, *135* pounds; age, *69* years. *We find 3 internal hemorrhoids our size of mans finger, and the other two are smaller, also 3 small tumors in rectum which is considerably engorged, tumors are blue, entitled to six eightieths on piles.*

*Crepitus in both knees, and both somewhat limited in motion. L. worse, by deposits about joints, and by chron. arthritis. L. thigh 2 inches smaller than R.*

*Muscle crepitus crepitus L. hip, atrophy of L. gluteal muscles, with tenderness along course of sciatic nerve, crepitus R. shoulder & R. elbow, & L. wrist but not much limited in motion, entitled to twelve eightieths on rheumatism.*

*Chest shows scope of 2 in forced ex. & inspiration with marked resonance over entire lungs. he has a bronchial cack. coughs. and from the prolonged bronchitis he also has emphysema. also pharyngeal catarrh. entitled to six eightieths on catarrhal bronchitis.*

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a rating for the disability caused by \_\_\_\_\_, for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_.

*Frank Buck*, Pres. *W. Ashcraft*, Sec'y. *E. U. Egan*, Treas.

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# SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

James Bradley,  
Co. F., 210, Reg't Pa. Vol. Inf.

Applicant for Ins.

No. 374,825

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

July 20., 1892  
Frank Buck, Pres.,  
C. H. Ashcroft, Sec'y,  
E. U. Evans, Treas., } BOARD.

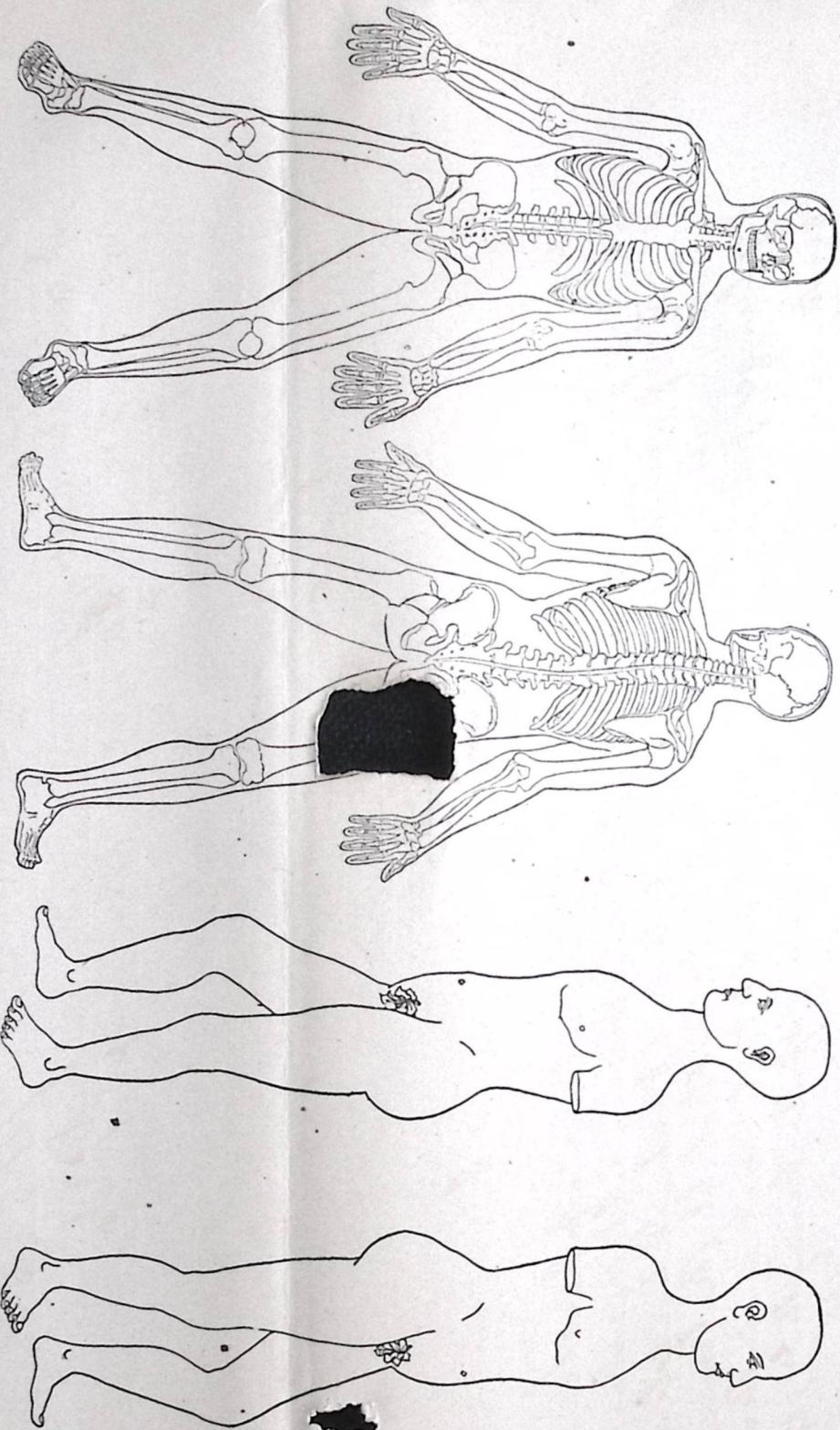
Post office, Condensport

County, Potters,

State, Pa

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Insert character and number of claim.

Increase

[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Pension Claim No. 374825

Name and rank of claimant.

James Bradley

Rank, Priv

Company 7, 210 Reg't Pa Vol

Condusport Pa

State,

Claimant's post-office address.

Condusport Pa

[Post-office address of the Board.]

April 17

[Date of examination.]

, 1895.

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred

Cause of disability.

in the service, viz: Piles Rheumatism and Disease of

Chest

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of Twelve

dollars per month.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for Increase

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

My piles come down & bleed as often as every two or three weeks, they pain me if I am on my feet very much. I have pain all over me most especially in my shoulder & back. I cough continually and am short of breath all the time. My lungs pain me I can not rest but an hour or two at a time have very hard coughing spells during the night & in the morning.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 74;

respiration, 28; temperature, 98; height, 5 feet 7 inches; weight, 135

pounds; age, 72 years. On examination of rectum, I find

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions.

Externally, a number of small hemorrhoids, internally the rectum is very badly inflamed & quite a number of small tumors. The mucous membrane is relaxed and flabby. I find right shoulder limited in motion about 1/4, left shoulder limited in motion about 1/4 and considerable crepitus. The dorsal vertebrae is rounded out making considerable of a deformity. Owing, I think, to some measure to a continual cough. There is neither atrophy or hypertrophy of the joints of the shoulders. The right knee is limited about 1/3 in motion slight crepitus, left knee about 1/2 well marked crepitus. R. knee measure 14 in. L. 14 1/2. And there is well marked swelling. The wrist joints appear normal. On examination of lungs I find them at rest to measure 37 1/4 full expiration 36 1/2 full inspiration 37 3/4. And can not hold it. Causes coughing. The chest is equalateral. I find cavernous respiration at apex of both lungs, the lungs are resonant over their whole surface. There is coarse moist rales through the whole of the lungs. There is a continual expectoration of a thick pus like matter. We consider the claimant

The actual or probable origin of every existing disability must be fully set forth.

Whenever a disability is shown, or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.

Frank Buck, Pres. G. S. French, Sec'y. W. K. Jassell, Treas.

N. B.—Always forward a certificate of examination whether a disability is found to exist or not.



As disabled from Piles, Rheumatism, and disease of Chest as to be incapacitated for performing any manual labor.



**SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE**

IN CASE OF

*James Bradley*  
Co. F, 210 Reg't Pa Vol

Applicant for *Suennase*

No. *374825*

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

*April 17<sup>th</sup>*, 189 *5*.

*Frank Buck*, Pres.,  
*C. A. French*, Sec'y,  
*W. H. Marshall*, Treas.,  
BOARD.

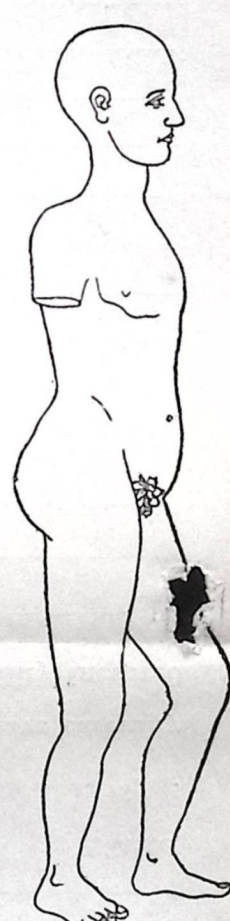
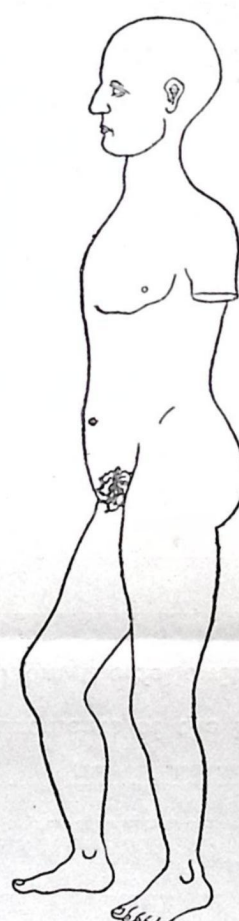
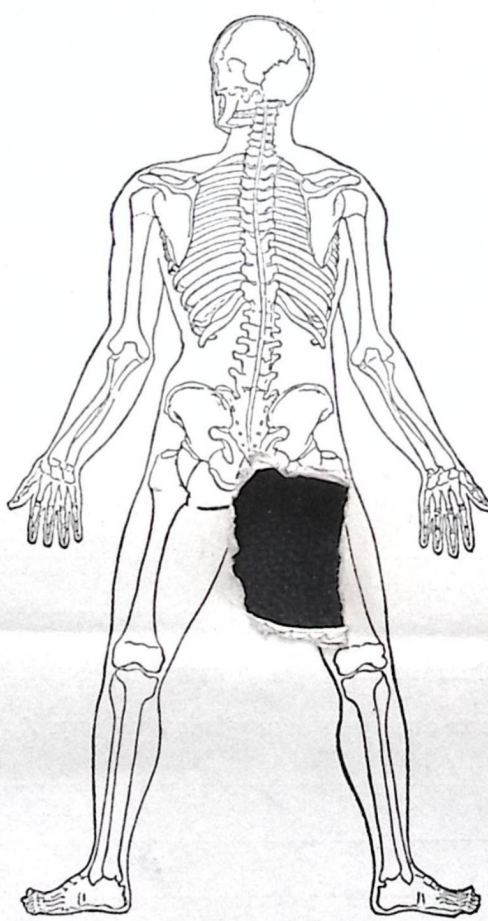
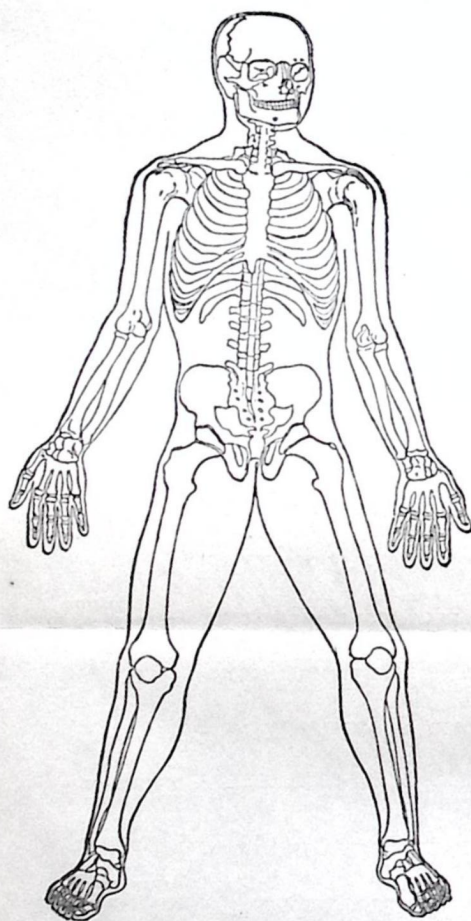
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P. S.—Write your Post-office address plainly and in full.

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PROVIDED FURTHER, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [Extract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.]